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NRA Shift Gives Lynch, New Aid, Power to Sign Codes; Chief Goes South

"Administrative Officer" Is Title of Johnson's Relief Worker.

General to Confer With President

Five Divisions Set Up to Ease Load; Tactics Due to Change.

National Recovery Administrator Hugh S. Johnson, accompanied by Miss Frances Robinson and Donald Richberg, left for Florida yesterday to visit President Roosevelt, having put the affairs of the NRA into the hands of Lieut. Col. G. A. Lynch, a former West Point classmate whom Johnson regards as "the ablest thinker in the Army."

Lynch, who has been attached to the Recovery Administration for only two weeks, is given the title of administrative officer, with the broadest powers, including authority to approve and sign codes.

He comes to the helm as the key figure in a major reorganization, whereby Gen. Johnson moved to divest himself of the burden of responsibilities which he has borne since June 16, 1933.

There were indications yesterday that after he has completed his visit with the President, Johnson may absent himself from his desk for a long rest.

Unknown Out of Army.

The man to whom he has entrusted the Blue Eagle's affairs, and who thereby becomes a figure of major importance in the Nation's industrial life, is virtually unknown outside Army circles. Broad of shoulders and sporting a waxed white mustache, Col. Lynch is more suave, and less of the "crack down" type than the General himself. He dresses meticulously and frequently carries a cane.

As opposed to Johnson, the cavalrymen, Lynch served in the infantry. He was a member of the general staff and has been in command of the Legation Guard at Peiping. Recently he was attached to the War College, and when he obtained leave to come to Washington was on duty at Governor's Island, New York.

Broadest Powers Granted.

The reorganized NRA, in many ways, bears a resemblance to the Army's general staff set-up. It frees the "neck of the bottle," which was Gen. Johnson's office, and spreads responsibility among five division officers, one of whom is W. A. Harriman. A previous reorganization order, which was rewritten by the general, would have put Harriman in a position somewhat similar to that now occupied by Lynch, though with powers less broad.

Besides Harriman and Col. Lynch, the other division officers are Don-

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Motor Parts Strike Settled

Detroit Workers Win 10 Per Cent Raise; Return Today.

Detroit, April 9 (AP).—The strike of American Federation of Labor members at the plant of the Motor Products Corporation was settled tonight. The strikers agreed to return to work tomorrow morning at a 10 per cent increase in wages. This strike, involving 3,600 employes, was considered the key to the main dispute in the motor labor field.

Announcement of the settlement was made by William Collins, American Federation of Labor leader.

The agreement was reported ratified at a hastily called meeting of 500 strikers.

Collins said that in addition to the wage increase the settlement provides for protection of workers through the recognition of seniority rights and for arbitration of disputes arising from piece rate payment.

Collins said the dispute arose out of "the failure of the company to pay some employes the wage agreed upon by the plant managers, the replacement of men by lower paid women on some operations, and because of the low wage structure in the plant."

The union demands were presented through the Automobile Labor Board.

Mother Saves Five Children From Fire

Luray, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Mrs. Baker Forest awakened in time last night to carry her five small children to safety from her home, near here, which was destroyed by fire.

None of the family's clothing, furniture or other contents of the house was saved.

U. S. Minister Dies At Banquet in Dublin

Collapses Replying to De Valera's Address of Welcome.

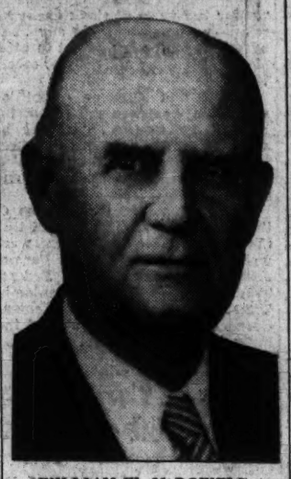
Dublin, April 9 (AP).—William Wallace McDowell, American Minister to the Irsh Free State, collapsed and died tonight of a heart attack at an official banquet given in his honor.

As he was responding to speeches of congratulation, the Minister faltered and collapsed of a heart attack. President De Valera and others at the table attempted to assist him, but he died within a few minutes.

A statement at the American Legation said:

"The Minister was seen to become ill suddenly while acknowledging words of welcome addressed to him by President De Valera at a dinner given in the Minister's honor by the president of the executive council."

The banquet was held in Dublin Castle, which was illuminated by flood lights for the occasion.



WILLIAM W. McDOWELL.

William Wallace McDowell, of Dublin Gulch, Butte, Mont., was appointed Minister to the Irish Free State, September 13, 1933, to succeed Frederick A. Sterling, who was transferred to Bulgaria. He arrived in Dublin March 20 and presented his credenials March 27 directly to President De Valera, instead of to the representative of the King, as had been customary in the past.

His action first was described in some quarters as a "snub" to King George and the British government.

However, in his report to the State Department, McDowell said a responsible official of the Irish Free State had informed the legation that the presentation of credentials to the president rather than to the governor general had been discussed between Irish and British authorities and agreed to by the King.

Employers Get Johnson's Aid In Labor Fight

Struggle Spreads With Attack on Company Union Curb.

Against a backdrop of National unrest, the labor fight waged from Capitol Hill to the National Recovery Administration yesterday, with the following developments:

1. Recovery Administrator Hugh S. Johnson wrote a letter to Senator Robert F. Wagner, commenting on the Senator's Labor Board bill now before Congress and stating he was opposed to the provision which prevented employers from "initiating" company unions.
2. Southern soft coal operators protested at the wage increases imposed by Gen. Johnson, declaring it would increase the price of their product, which was already endangered competitively by the cheap power sold by the Tennessee Valley Authority.
3. The American Federation of Labor charged that big corporations were turning the profits of recovery over to stockholders, rather than wage earners.
4. Representative Wood, of Missouri, accused employers of a "conspiracy" to defeat the collective bargaining provision of the recovery act.

Johnson's letter to Wagner was a long-awaited statement on the administrator's views of the Wagner bill, which he had been twice expected to deliver before a Senate committee. It was regarded as another blow at the measure, which has been weakened repeatedly after a concerted attack by the Nation's industrialists, who fought early provisions outlawing all existing or future company unions.

"In my opinion," said the admin-

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50 Miners Rescued.

Tokyo, April 9 (AP).—Fifty miners, trapped in Fukushima coal mine, were freed today through strenuous rescue work. Ten were seriously injured. The miners were trapped by a gas explosion.

Racing, Fight Bills for D. C. Pass in House

Votes for Chains Here to Sell Liquor; Bans Drug Store Sales.

Licensing of race horse tracks, professional and amateur boxing and the removal of the one-license restriction on chain stores in the sale of liquor were provided in 3 of 13 bills passed by the House yesterday in the biggest day the District has had at the current session.

To the surprise even of the sponsors, the racing and boxing bills met with no appreciable opposition, but the amendment to the District liquor act was altered so that it bars drug stores from selling liquor, wines or beer in bottles.

All three bills must pass the Senate and be signed by the President before they become laws. The Senate has adopted a bill which would permit amateur boxing in the District and has before it a racing bill.

Dog Racing Eliminated.

The racing bill was adopted in its original form, as introduced by Representative Loring M. Black, jr. (Democrat) New York, except that dog racing was eliminated. Although the House District Committee had amended it so that a racing commission should be created, objections were raised against the cost of such an agency and Black gladly reverted to his former bill.

The boxing bill passed was the amended Hartley bill, which was intended at the beginning to authorize amateur boxing but prohibit professional boxing. As changed by the committee, however, it permits both types of boxing, though does not specifically repeal the present act prohibiting professional boxing.

Boxing, under the amended measure, would be supervised by a com-

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'Miss England' Sues British Peer for Breach of Promise

Hollywood, April 9 (AP).—An idyllic romance with Lord Revelstoke, 22, British nobleman, was described today by Angela Joyce, English actress, a few hours after her lawyers started a suit in London charging he broke a promise to marry her.

She said he adored her "like a goddess in the clouds," and that she "loved him to distraction."

"Imagine my heartbreak and astonishment on learning he had married another woman," said Miss Joyce, who was the "Miss England" of 1930, and who came here seeking a movie career.

Heir to the $2,000,000 estate of his banker father, young Lord Revelstoke married Flora Fermor-Hesketh, daughter of Sir Thomas and Lady Fermor Hesketh, last March 2. Miss Joyce said he was "just a Cambridge undergraduate, and a not very wealthy one," when she met him. She charged he was "poisoned" against her.

"I met Lord Revelstoke in a London night club in February, 1931," said her actress, "and we fell violently in love. I knew him then as Rupert Baring, his family name. The name meant nothing to me, because I loved him.

"We kept company and planned a secret elopment. I received 59 letters from him."

Miss Joyce said she would be ready to go to England to testify in the suit as soon as her lawyers ask her to. She is considering an offer to return to the London stage anyway, she said.

"He is the best looking man in the world," the actress said of Revelstoke. "All the time we were together we were in a state of love's exuberance. I don't think it will

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U.S. Charges Bishop Used Cash Himself

Government's Surprise Comes as Cannon Trial Opens.

Woman Taken on Jury; Defense Loses Claim for Particulars.

By Frank Getty.

Reverberations of the 1928 anti-Smith campaign in the erstwhile "Solid South," together with startling and unexpected charges of account juggling, check switching and misappropriation of funds, marked the start yesterday of the trial of Bishop James Cannon, jr., and Miss Ada Burroughs for alleged violation of the Federal corcupt practices act.

The Government sprang a surprise as the trial of the Southern Methodist divine and his former secretary began before Justice Peyton Gordon in District Supreme Court, charging Cannon converted to his own use a "considerable portion" of the $65,300 contributed by E. J. Jameson, of New York, to the committee of which the bishop was chairman.

It is for their failure to report to the clerk of the House of Representatives some $48,000 of Jameson's contributions, a sum which the Government now alleges Cannon appropriated, partly to pay his personal debts, that the bishop and Miss Burroughs are on trial.

Conspiracy Charged.

In his opening statement for the prosecution, Assistant United States Attorney John J. Wilson promised to prove that Cannon and his former secretary conspired to keep from reporting this $48,000, as required by law, and also attempted to influence Jameson, president of the Globe & Rutgers Insurance Co., to say he had given the "Headquarters Committee, Anti-Smith Democrats," only $17,300.

A jury of 11 men and one woman was selected yesterday after several hours of questioning in which the veniremen's religious, political and "wet" and "dry" prejudices were inquired into thoroughly. There were five peremptory challenges by both sides, two veniremen admitting affiliation with the Crusaders, an antiprohibition organization, and one declaring he had made "a few contributions" to the Aantisaloon League, with which the defendants are associated.

Bill of Particulars Demand Lost.

Before the jury was chosen Robert H. McNeill, chief of the defense counsel, lost an opening skirmish when Justice Gordon overruled a motion to require the Government to provide a bill of particulars, stating when and where the alleged unlawful conspiracy took place, and when and how Miss Burroughs obtained knowledge of Jameson's contributions to the committee of which she was treasurer.

"He wants to know the Government's case, in other words," interposed United States Attorney Leslie C. Garnett, and the court agreed that what the defense asked for was properly evidence.

At the counsel table, Bishop Cannan, his silvery hair awry and his little white mustache bristling, took

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Belgium Wars On Blue Shirts

Battles Prompt Move to Ban Political Uniforms.

Brussels, April 9 (AP).—Week-end political clashes in which a Communist was slain and more than a score of persons were injured focused attention tonight on the rise of the Nationalist organization called the Blue Shirts.

The Blue Shirts are pledged to rid Belgium of all political parties and the "present rotten regime." So dangerous did they seem tonight that the government ordered quick Parliamentary consideration of measures banning the wearing of political uniforms and tightening the sale of firearms.

Rioting started when the Nationalists opened their Brussels headquarters. Clashes spread throughout the capital and the neighboring localities.

A blue-shirted Nationalist named Geevaerts was thrown from his bicycle by a Communist. Geevaerts pulled out a knife and killed his assailant, named Debacker.

At least ten Communists and 15 Blue Shirts were wounded in hand-to-hand fighting.

The Blue Shirts have emerged as a political power in just the last few weeks.

Lazia Asks New Trial On Income Tax Charge

Kansas City, April 9 (AP).—A new trial was sought today for John Lazia, city Democratic leader, under a year's sentence for failure to file a Federal income tax return on the ground that one member of the jury also was on the jury which sentenced Lazia in 1916 to 15 years for first degree robbery. Lazia served eight months of the sentence.

Lazia's attorney said this made it impossible for Lazia to have a fair hearing.

Wirt Faces 'Revolution' Grill Today

Rainey Asserts Witness Must Give Names or Face Jail.

Radio to Carry House Inquisition Over Nation.

Before a crowd of 500 persons, with microphones carrying every word to the country, Dr. William A. Wirt, Gary (Ind.) educator, will be asked today to reveal the source of his information that certain members of the "brain trust" are plotting to overthrow the Government.

The special House committee named to investigate the Wirt charges will attempt to confine the testimony of the witness strictly to a statement of who gave him the information and of the conversations involved. Republicans in both House and Senate continued to demand that he be given the right to make a full statement.

Meanwhile, Dr. Wirt slipped quietly into Washington and succeeded in eluding newspaper reporters and other visitors. Employes of the hotel where he was staying gave callers the number of a room on the sixth floor. It was finally discovered that he was in a room on the seventh floor, but no amount of persuasion would bring him out or gain admission for visitors.

Rainey Issues Threat.

Speaker Rainey, who, several days ago, announced he would not "dignify" the hearing by asking that Wirt be cited for contempt if he failed to reveal the source of his information, changed his mind and declared the educator must answer the question or face the possibility of going to jail.

Speaker Rainey at the same time made public three articles he said were written by Dr. Wirt, which he said showed Wirt at one time "favored the very things which he now calls communistic."

Representative George Foulkes (Democrat), of Michigan, who has criticized Wirt since his charges were made, submitted ten questions which he asked Representative Alfred Bulwinkle (Democrat), of North Carolina, chairman of the investigating committee, to put to the witness.

The Daily Princetonian, newspaper published by Princeton students, printed an interview with Adolf A. Berle, jr., a member of President Roosevelt's original "brain trust," quoting Berle as saying the statements repeated by Wirt were made to him at a party and they were intended as a joke.

Schall Says Socialism Rules.

Senator Thomas D. Schall (Republican), of Minnesota, issued a statement declaring the Roosevelt Administration has embraced Socialism and discarded Democracy. He asked that Gov. Floyd B. Olsen of Minnesota be called as a witness at the hearing to explain his alleged leaning toward Socialism.

John Dickinson, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, in a statement championed the Roosevelt intellectuals against Wire.

The Capital hummed with preparations for the hearing. Not in years, not even when J. P. Morgan appeared and a midget sat in his lap, has a Congressional hearing stirred so much interest. The big caucus room in the new House Office Building, a room seating 500 persons, was ready for the opening of the drama, which, if majority members of the committee

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Asked to Leave Victim's Funeral, He Ends His Life

Danville, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Told yesterday his presence was unwelcome at the funeral of the man he shot on Easter night, Zebedee Shelton, 55, ended his own life with a shotgun at his filling station near Hurt, in Pittsylvania County, today.

Shelton killed Jack Moorfield, his brother-in-law and business associate, in a dispute over $6. Moorfield died in a Lynchburg hospital Friday. After his arrest, Shelton was freed on $5,000 bond.

At the funeral yesterday, Shelton was seen skirting the mourners. He left when so asked.

His son-in-law, Edward Lewis, found Shelton dead this morning beside his shotgun.

Glad Rags? He Even Took the Wax Figure

Richmond, April 9 (Spl.).—It was spring, and the young man's fancy lightly turned to thoughts of clothes. So, bang, went the showcase, and out came a wax figure attired in a natty yellow spring outfit.

George Bynum, 26 and colored, was carrying a mannequin away when police arrived, they say. A policeman fired, felling Bynum with a bullet wound in the hip. He will face a charge of housebreaking.

$2,494,600 in Gold Imports.

New York, April 9 (AP).—Today's gold statement of the New York Federal Reserve Bank showed imports of $2,494,600 from Colombia and a net increase of that amount in gold held under earmark for foreign account. There were no exports.

Senators Approve New Market Control Agency In Drawing Bill's 'Teeth'

Laxity of Congress Crowds D. C. Schools

Post Staff Photo.

Here's how kiddies at Van Buren School study. They are shown hard at their books in the annex. Left to right are Bobby Cox, Phyllis King, Dorothy Kahansky and Mrs. Anna Kimball, their teacher.

This is the first of a series of eight articles on Washington Schools.

By Felix Bruner.

Washington schools are overcrowded. They are overcrowded because of lack of funds for new buildings. Funds are lacking and buildings are not being erected fast enough to keep up with the rapidly growing enrollment because Congress has not shown sufficient interest in the Washington school problem to meet the situation.

School officials have not been unreasonable in their requests. They realize as well as any one that the last few years have been no time for unreasonable requests for things that cost money.

But they do not feel they are unreasonable when they ask that sufficient funds be provided to house Washington's school children in properly heated buildings, to replace buildings that have been condemned for more than 25 years with new ones, or to provide sufficient accommodations so that it will not be necessary to "stagger" classes in the high schools.

The Government has been pouring billions of dollars into public works of all kinds in an effort to

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General Staff Officer Named In Carol Plot

Scant Reward for Aiding Return From Exile Believed Motive.

Bucharest, Rumania, April 9 (AP). A plot to bomb the Domniska Balazcha Cathedral at an orthodox midnight Easter service and kill King Carol, the crown prince and members of the government was believed by authorities tonight to have been planned by Col. Prekup, of the Rumanian general staff.

Officials thought also it had been planned to slay Mme. Magda Lupescu, friend of King Carol.

The affair was kept a secret from the public throughout the Easter holidays.

It was learned the alleged plot may have been motivated by a desire for revenge for the unsatisfactory reward Col. Prekup believed he received for the leading part he played in the return of King Carol from exile in 1930.

Among the ten high army officers arrested in connection with the reported conspiracy were Gen. Schmidt, head of the poison gas department of the war ministry; Capt. Mocyulzcy, inspector of the gendarmerie; Maj. Nicoara, of the engineering staff, and Col. Patraulea.

Plans to capture the alleged plot-

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Delaware Doctor Dies.

Felton, Del., April 9 (AP).—Dr. Jefferson Moore Tuff, 75, one of Delaware's best-known physicians and a member of one of the State's earliest families, died yesterday.

Black Favors Securities Act Modification

Board Chief Throws His Support Behind Liberalized Law.

Governor Eugene R. Black of the Federal Reserve Board yesterday threw his support behind a widespread business demand for liberalization of the securities act of 1933.

Leaving a meeting of the House Banking Committee, Black told newspapermen he believed the act "should be, and will be modified."

He expressed the opinion that whether or not the act has had a restrictive effect upon business, the fact business believes this is so amounts to the same thing in its psychological effect upon industry.

He said he believes that when public opinion conflicts with the law, the law itself should be changed.

Block Report to President.

Meanwhile, members of the strong House mine bloc, who have won Administration promises of some moderation of the bill's provisions, yesterday made an unsuccessful effort to get the text of a departmental report to the President recommending some modifications.

In the absence of the President, Representative James G. Scrugham (Democrat), Nevada, leading the

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As a Fisherman, Mr. Roosevelt's A Good President, Is Consensus

By Leon Dure, Jr.

On Board Nourmahal, Off Gun Cay, the Bahamas, April 9.—President Roosevelt exerted his celebrated powers of persuasion to the fullest today, regaling newspaper questioners with choice fish stories and the famous Roosevelt laughter, but failed completely to convince them of his fishing prowess.

In fact, members of the court of inquiry into the Presidential fishing retired from the yacht Nourmahal in some confusion. However, the questioners believed the President had not as much fishing as just plain lounging about the cool afterdeck of Vincent Astor's big yacht. Thus, in general, was Elliott Roosevelt's aspersion on his father's fishing upheld.

That this finding will be hotly disputed was conceded, but the fact remained that the only fish which Astor could single out and identify as the President's own was a 4-pound queen trigger. Brilliant in blue and green, this was the prize of the collection, if beauty was the only consideration.

Of course, the President caught many others, or so he said, including groupers, barracudas and a shark or two. In fact, he helped Astor direct a seining expedition in which more than 2,000 fish were captured, but he hasn't hooked a marlin or even a bluefish.

Mr. Roosevelt awaited the arrival of the press for his 110th newspaper conference, seated on the after-deck. Bronzed by the sun, he appeared in perfect health and spirit. He was clad only in a blue cotton sweater, worn trousers and shoes.

Cheerily greeting his interrogators, he began by recounting vari-

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Leaders Plan to Petition Roosevelt to Take Hand in Fight.

Rayburn Attacks Changed Set-up

Irritation Grows When Black Sees Further Modifications.

By Franklyn Waltman, Jr.

Dissension in Congress over the stock market bill yesterday openly flared to a new level of feeling after the Senate Banking and Currency Committee voted to set up a new agency to regulate security exchanges and strike from the measure a lengthy recitation of the purposes and policy of the legislation.

The action of the Senate committee was the beginning of what might be called the pulling of the measure's teeth. It is expected to be followed today or tomorrow by elimination of statutory minimum marginal requirements and other features of the measure objectionable to the financial world.

This turn of events caused consternation among the drafters of the legislation and the advocates in Congress of a stock market bill with "teeth in it." Among themselves they informally agreed to urge President Roosevelt personally to take charge of the fight for a drastic bill and, if necessary, to appeal to the country to demand such legislation.

Rayburn Irritated.

The Senate committee's action also brought it into conflict with the leaders in the House. Chairman Rayburn of the House Interstate Commerce Committee, which has charge of the bill on that side of the Capitol, particularly showed irritation at the action of the Senate group.

"Speaking individually, I am opposed to what the Senate committee did," he asserted. "I think Section 2 (reciting the policy and purpose of the bill) ought to remain in the bill. I don't believe that a new independent agency should be set up to administer the measure."

Shortly thereafter his irritation seemed to increase when he was told that Governor Eugene Black of the Federal Reserve Board, on leaving a meeting of the Rayburn subcommittee, asserted he believed the bill would also be modified drastically in that quarter.

"If Governor Black can read the minds of the sub-committee or of the full committee, he can do a lot more than I can or any other single member of the committee," asserted Rayburn.

Black Favors Fluidity.

It was understood Black told the Rayburn group that he believed the fixed minimum marginal requirements should be eliminated and the Federal Reserve Board given discretionary power to specify mar-

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Ritchie Denies Plans Mapped

Governor Indicates Mind Is Open Regarding His Course.

Baltimore, April 9 (Spl.).—An emphatic denial by Gov. Ritchie today that he has promised to run for a fifth term or that he will seek the Democratic senatorial nomination was interpreted in political circles here as the strongest indication he has given that he may retire to private life at the end of his present term.

"When I've decided what I'm going to do I will make a statement as to my intent, but before then I do not intend to make any promises," Gov. Ritchie declared at the conclusion of his statement.

Several of his advisers do not want Mr. Ritchie to run again for the governorship. His silence has led to such a flood of rumors that today he declared:

"There is absolutely no truth in the statement that I've made any promises to any one that I will either run for a fifth term, or seek the senatorial nomination or retire to private life. I do not know of any meeting of my political friends last Friday or any other day."

100 Persons Arrested In Siamese Conspiracy

Bangkok, Siam, April 9 (AP).—Capture of government heads and seizure of the army and communication lines were among plans of plotters whose revolutionary coup was frustrated last week, it was revealed today.

The government arrested 100 persons. Investigation disclosed that several members of former regimes and relatives of leaders of last October's abortive revolt, as well as both active and retired army and navy officers, were involved.

Candy Lottery Must End, 48 Firms Advised

House Group to Start Hearings Tomorrow on Kenney Bill.

By Raymond Clapper.

On the strength of a recent Supreme Court decision, the Federal Trade Commission last night moved to stop use of lotteries in sale of candy.

It issued cease-and-desist orders against 48 candy manufacturers in 14 Eastern and Middle Western States forbidding them to use the something-for-nothing lure in pushing their sugary wares on little customers.

At the same time preparations were made for hearings tomorrow by a House Ways and Means subcommittee on the bill to create a Government-sponsored lottery, introduced by Representative Edward A. Kenney (Democrat), New Jersey, who is proceeding on the theory that the human gambling instinct can not be suppressed and might as well be regulated to the profit of the Federal Treasury.

States Taking Action.

This move takes its cue not only from the number of foreign governments which are turning to lotteries as sources of additional revenue, but from the action of numerous State Legislatures in passing or considering measures to permit legalized race track betting and lotteries.

The House yesterday passed a bill to legalize racing and boxing in the District of Columbia.

Mayor LaGuardia of New York is seeking legislation at Albany to set up a municipal corporation which in effect would constitute a lottery to provide revenue for welfare relief. Gov. Ritchie has sought legislation to permit sweepstake lotteries in connection with the running of the Preakness at Pimlico. Depression level tax receipts have stimulated the demand for lottery revenue.

Millions of dollars are going into surreptitious purchase of lottery tickets in the Irish Hospital Sweepstakes, Calcutta sweepstakes and other foreign lotteries, despite postoffice vigilance in enforcing anti-lottery laws. Sponsors of lottery legislation believe this money should be kept at home and part of it diverted to the Federal Treasury.

Reformers Fearful.

This new tendency marks a swing from the suppression which began after the corrupt Louisiana lottery turned public sentiment. Previously lotteries had operated widely in the United States. It is said that the building in which the first Congress met in New York City was erected by proceeds of a municipal lottery.

Reform groups are concerned about current agitation. While they have no fears that legislation authorizing lotteries will pass at this session, their hopeless fight against repeal of prohibition is fresh in their minds and some of them foresee that unless they begin active counter activity at once, the anti-lotteries may go the same way as prohibition.

Deets Pickett, secretary of the Methodist Episcopal Board of Prohibition, Temperance and Public Morals, said last night that Bishop Edwin Holt Hughes, president of the board, was due here today to confer over the situation.

Proposal Assailed.

"Of course we are against such legislation," Pickett said. "It is a disgraceful thing that such a bill should even be offered. It is incredible that any such measure should pass Congress."

The United States Supreme Court, in its recent decision on the candy case, said that the practice of wrapping pennies inside of a few pieces of candy in a box, or of varying the price according to that marked on slips drawn with each piece of candy, or of giving extra pieces to those drawing candy with colored centers, was a method which appealed to children too young to exercise intelligent judgment of the transaction, and that such devices have been generally condemned as contrary to public policy.

The commission held that such methods constituted unfair competition, compelling other manufacturers to resort to the same practices or lose business.

Expect Huge Revenue.

Representative Kenney is advocating his Government-sponsored lottery bill in the hope of raising $1,000,000,000 a year in revenue for the Federal Government to be applied to veteran expenditures. Details would be left to Veteran Administration regulation. Antilottery laws would be suspended to permit the sending of authorized lottery tickets through the mails. Tickets would be sold at postoffices and winners would be paid off there.

Western and Southern members are generally opposed to such a method, but in the East Representative Kenney has met with more favorable reaction. Officials of some veterans' organizations are favorable.

Moves are pending to legalize lotteries in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maine, Massachusetts, Maryland and New York City, advocates of such legislation say. Representative Kenney reports that 15 States have liberalized recing statutes and that in the last two years ten States have passed laws permitting race-track betting.

Arguments for Bill.

His arguments for the measure: That gambling, like drinking, can't be stopped by Government edict; that Government control would bring in revenues which now go to gangsters' profits and to foreign lottery operators; that with a legalized outlet much speculation on the stock exchange would be diverted.

Assistant Secretary of Commerce Dickinson, in the report of an interdepartmental committee on stock exchange regulation, said that the gambling instinct was inherent in the average man and that prohibition of various forms of gambling had caused many such persons to turn to the stock market. Without having studied Representative Kenney's lottery measure, Dickinson said that he saw "beneficial possibilities in it."

Principal objections to use of lotteries as a source of Government revenue, raised after a study of the Cuban lottery by Prof. E. R. A. Seligman, were that they were expensive of administration, that the revenue yield was low, and that no sound principle of distributing the tax burden was employed; that the Cuban lottery was a source of millions of dollars in graft to politicians, who were given appointments as collectors as political patronage.

Kenney Gives Views.

Representative Kenney says that Americans send $2,000,000,000 out of the country every year in foreign lotteries, and that furthermore, in spite of Federal antilottery laws, countless churches and charitable organizations hold bazaar drawings which are lotteries in every detail except the name.

"I do not believe that the adult person who indulges in the mild and pleasing dissipation of buying a chance in a Government lottery is thereby a gambler, a victim, and in need of protection," Representative Kenney said. "As to the plan I have in mind, I look upon it as a game quite worth its inexpensive candle.

"All of us who play it will get some fun building tinted castles in Spain, a few of us will get rewards, the veterans will get what is decently coming to them from their countrymen, the Government will get a $1,000,000,000 gift from its citizens and the heavily burdened taxpayers will get a hand up in distress."

Wirt Faces Quiz Today; House Committee to Demand Names

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have their way, may last only a few hours. In the crowd are expected to be many members of each house.

Critics of the House majority were complaining that the Democrats were attempting to "starve" the hearing to death by appropriating only $500 for its expenses. This charge was voiced by Representative McGugin (Republican), of Kansas. Representative Byrnes, of Tennessee, Democratic floor leader, replied that if anything worth while develops there will be "plenty of money" for the investigation. "Brain trusters" named by Dr. Wirt are expected to be called.

First Letter to Be Read.

The hearing is expected to open with the reading of a letter from Dr. Wirt, which was read before the House Interstate Commerce Committee March 23 by James H. Rand, jr., chairman of the Committee for the Nation. This is the letter that stirred the controversy and resulted in the hearing.

Dr. Wirt said in the letter that last summer he had talked to some of the "brain trusters" and they told him they believed "that by thwarting our then evident recovery they would be able to prolong the country's destitution until they had demonstrated to the American people that the Government must operate industry and commerce."

"The most surprising statement made to me," Dr. Wirt added, "was the following: 'We believe that we have Mr. Roosevelt in the middle of a swift stream and that the current is so strong that he can not turn back or escape from it. We think we can keep Mr. Roosevelt there until we are ready to supplant him with a Stalin. Mr. Roosevelt is only the Kerensky of this revolution.

"'We are on the inside. We can make the President believe that he is making decisions for himself.'"

Name to Be Demanded.

Dr. Wirt will be asked if he made that statement. If he answers in the affirmative, he will be asked to name his informant and to detail the conversation. Whomever he names will be summoned, probably to appear tomorrow.

Following the first suggestion that he name his informant or informants, Dr. Wirt said:

"If I am convinced the welfare of the Nation demands it, I shall name the 'brain truster' who made the statement. I will not divulge any names until such time as the welfare of America demands it."

Later Dr. Wirt expressed his willingness to testify, but asked for time to make a statement. The investigating committee, however, demanded that he appear immediately. Dr. Wirt has given no further indication of the course his testimony will take.

Republicans have been demanding that additional witnesses be called. Representative McGugin asked that William I. Westervelt, of Chicago, formerly with the Farm Administration, be summoned.

"He has some information on the subject that would be enlightening," McGugin said, refusing to amplify his remark.

The originals of the "documents" produced by Speaker Rainey were typewritten and corrected with pencil. They bear the name of William A. Wirt and state they were copyrighted by him.

Says Wirt Favored New Deal.

"He sent me one two years ago," Rainey said. "It is an interesting document and takes a position in favor of the present farm program and devaluation of the dollar.

"The world has a very good reason for not giving us more gold for a bushel of wheat," one of the articles produced by Rainey said. "We can not control the world gold price for wheat. But our Government can control the amount of gold in our dollar. We can call our dollar 12.9 grains of gold. Then, at once, the Liverpool price for our wheat will go from 50 cents to $1 a bushel. * * *

"If we are to secure an equilibrium of prices between the country and the cities by raising the prices in the country to a trading level with city prices, we must regulate the amount of gold in our dollar to the point where our dollar is a trading dollar."

An excerpt from another article predicts a revolution. It says:

"Has the citizen in America the right to live while he is trying to get a job? Has he the right to live while he is conscientiously working on a job? Must the citizen in America starve when he is not able to work?

Cites Fall of Louis XIV.

"During the days of Louis XIV in France, citizens of glorious France did lie down by the roadside and die of starvation. But such conditions brought on the French Revolution. Will American citizens see their families starve? Will American citizens themselves lie down by the roadsides and starve? Most certainly they will not.

"If American property owners can not pay for the protection of their own property, soon they will not have any property. Neither creditors nor debtors can be saved. Both will perish and other property owners as well.

"In America, as in Russia, the proletariat will take the responsibility and the property. If a revolution is necessary, the proletariat will give us that, too. There will not be any 'gravy.'"

Another of the series said: "The world is short of gold dollars, but it is not short of currency."

It added:

"We would also know that we can make the reduction in two ways. First, we can honorably, and with justice to all, deliberately reduce our gold in the dollar by act of Congress. By this plan we make our money sounder and stay on the gold standard. We advertise to the world that we are intelligent, that our motives are right, and that we have the ability to do what we want to do."

"Where Are We Heading?"

Another excerpt read:

"Where are we really headed now? What grounds have we for assuming that we, too, may not go below the pre-World War price level? Why don't we understand the real significance of the present price devaluation movement? Do we really want Nature to take its course?"

The ten questions which Representative Foulkes asked the committee to put to Dr. Wirt:

"1. Is it not a fact that you have raised your hue and cry against the 'brain trust' and certain officials of the Government at the behest of huge corporations that are resentful because of the increased governmental control over their activities and who hope, by starting a 'red scare,' to check any further steps toward regulation of their greed?

"2. Are you in the pay directly or indirectly, of the Steel Trust?

"3. In your booklet, 'America Must Lose,' you say that it is an answer to the booklet of Secretary of Agriculture Wallace, entitled 'America Must Choose,' and to 'any of the brain trust who would scrap American institutions of private property and substitute for owners' control the dictation of Government.' May I ask if you are not aware that the rights and needs of the people who produce the wealth of our land are superior at all times to the so-called 'American' institutions of private property and that the Government has a fundamental right at any time to 'scrap' any institution that conflicts with the common welfare, even if this should involve the public ownership of public utilities?

"4. Do you not know that publicly owned parks, schools, highways, bridges, fire departments and postal service are as much 'American' institutions as a privtely owned steel trust, coal monopoly, food trust or transportation system?

Asks About School Fight.

"5. Did you not, when a member of the Indiana State Board of Education, fight bitterly against State assumption of tuition expenses for children, especially against it in your own city of Gary?

"6. Were not riots among school children, with breaking of windows, stoning of officials, a frequent occurrence when you were in charge of schools in New York City, and was not your system there—because of which, I understand, Mayor John F. Hylan discharged you—organized to fit a child for the mill or factory and to eliminate him from a professional career?

"7. Is not your educational system—called, I think, the 'study, work and play program'—one developed at the instigation of the steel trust and other great exploiters of human labor, who want to Prussianize the American child, using the schools to make him an obendient slave of vast industrial barons, with no spirit for protesting against unjust conditions?

"8. Is it true that your salary as superintendent of the Gary schools is $13,000 a year—$3,000 more than is paid the city superintendent in Indianapolis, a city many times larger? Have you not been receiving $10,000 yearly for work in New York City schools and a per diem on the Indian State Board of Education?

"9. Is it not a fact that you purchased much land at Gary and in the Calumet region at low prices and sold it when real estate was at peak prices?

"10. Where did you get the money with which to buy this land?"

Chance to Reply Denied.

According to the present plans of the investigating committee, Dr. Wirt will be given no opportunity to reply to this and other personal attacks that have been made on him during the last few days. He will be denied the usual opportunity accorded witnesses of making a full statement.

Representative McFadden (Republican), Pennsylvania, came to Dr. Wirt's defense on the floor of the House.

"Under such extraordinary procedure," he said, "Dr. Wirt would be rendering an extraordinary service to the country if he refused to answer the questions of the investigating committee. He should be given a full opportunity to state his position and any facts that will support it."

Senator Robinson (Republican), Indiana, told the Senate that Dr. Wirt "had expressed in concrete terms the fears of the country." He said prominent Democrats have "pounced on Dr. Wirt as if he were a criminal."

"It is the 'brain trust', not Dr. Wirt, who is on trial," he said.

The statement of Senator Schall asking that Gov. Olson be called declared that the Governor made the demand for State socialism in the Farmer-Labor party platform and that the Governor is the "personal representative of the Roosevelt Administration in Minnesota."

"The further fact that both the Democratic and Republican parties are uniting to oppose this Farmer-Labor platform is evidence that the Democrats in some sections have reached a point where they can no longer follow in the steps of the 'brain trust' and Mr. Roosevelt," he said.

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Black Behind Securities Act Modificaton

Reserve Board Chief Sees Business Aided by Liberalization.

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mine bloc movement for modification of the act, was informed the report could not be released.

Assistant Secretary of Commerce John Dickinson, who headed a special departmental committee study of the act, told The Post last night the committee's recommendations were "very mild."

He said he was not at liberty to make the report public. The committee Dickinson headed has since been disbanded, but Federal Trade Commissioner James M. Landis, one of its members, will sit with a House mine bloc sub-committee tomorrow in an effort to work out modifying amendments to the act.

A symposium textually recording the views of a broad cross-section of business and financial leaders in opposition to the act, assembled by The Washington Post, yesterday was introduced for inclusion in the Congressional Record by Senator Daniel O. Hastings (Republican), Delaware. Senator Hastings last week introduced a bill to substantially modify stringent liability provisions of the act.

Seek Public Hearings.

Although House efforts to amend the act at present center in a special sub-committee ofth e House mining bloc, which seeks to lift restrictions on mine financing, a movement is gaining momentum to bring the situation to a head at public hearings before Congressional committees.

The mine bloc sub-committee, under chairmanship of Representative Abe Murdock (Democrat), Utah, will confer with representatives of the mining industry today before attempting to work out specific amendments tomorrow with Commissioner Landis.

Among representatives of the industry in Washington in the interest of obtaining liberaltization of the act are former Senator Tasker L. Oddie, of Nevada, and W. H. Simons, State mine inspector for Idaho. Both reported mine operation in their States "at a standstill" as a result of "hampering" provisions of the Securities act.

Welfare Board Senate Report Is Favorable

District Committee Backs Authority Shift Urged by George E. Allen.

Reduction ofth e Board of Public Welfare to an advisory capactiy and transfer of its authority to the District Commissioners is provided for in a bill favorably reported to the Senate from the District Committee yesterday by Senator William H. King (Democrat), Utah, chairman.

The bill was recommended by the District Commissioners and marks their first step in the campaign inaugurated by Commissioner George E. Allen to revise the entire public welfare system of the District.

Seven other measures, approved by the committee last Saturday, were reported by Senator King and Senator Arthur Capper (Republican), Kansas. They transfer to local officials authority to open graves, change the name of Four and a Half to Fourth street southwest, vest authority of District prisoners in in Federal institutions to the Federal Parole Board, modify fire escape regulations, increase fees charged by the Recorder of Deeds and put that office under authority of the Commissioners.

Stairs Plunge Costs Man Life

Locked in Jail, He Dies Later in Hospital; Neighbor Held.

A fractured skull, suffered the night of April 5, when he was alleged to have been pushed down stairs by a neighbor, yesterday caused the death of Ester Butler, 34, of 215 C street northwest, at Gallinger Hospital.

Butler, taken to Casualty Hospital following the altercation, was first pronounced not seriously injured. An examination there indicated he had received only cuts and bruises of his head, police said.

He was taken to the First Precinct station, charged with intoxication and disorderly conduct, and locked up. A short time later, Lieut. J. H. Lee had Butler removed to Gallinger Hospital, where the real extent of his injuries was discovered.

Officers learned from Butler's wife that he had been drinking. She went to a neighbor's apartment, below her own at the C street address, and asked aid, Mrs. Butler said. The neighbor, she said, pushed Butler down the stairs.

Pending an inquest by Coroner A. MacGruder MacDonald, Eugene Cuppet, a neighbor, was held by police as a material witness. An autopsy revealed that meningitis, probably induced by the skull fracture, hastened Butler's death.

New Agency to Control Stock Exchanges Voted by Senators

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ginal requirements as conditions might require. The full committee instructed the sub-committee to draft "a statutory formula for fixing margins."

Black is expected to appear before the Senate committee today to give his views regarding the marginal requirements. Subsequently the committee is expected to vote to give the proposed new agency discretionary power to fix marginal requirements and eliminate the stiff 60 per cent margin specified in the bill now.

This amendment will be offered by Senator Carter Glass (Democrat), of Virginia, who is leading the revolt against a strict stock market measure. It was he who offered the amendment providing for the administration of the bill's provisions by a new agency, to be known as the Federal Securities Exchange.

Wall Street Opposed.

Until the committee adopted this amendment, the bill vested the Federal Trade Commission with power to supervise security exchanges, except for administration of the rigid marginal requirements, which were lodged in the Federal Reserve Board. The financial world bitterly opposed placing power over its activities in the hands of the trade commission.

Richard Whitney, president of the New York Stock Exchange, originally proposed creation of a separate agency, on which the stock exchanges of the country would have representatives, although the balance of power would be in the hands of men named by the President. Later Mr. Whitney suggested as an alternative placing the stock exchanges under supervision entirely of the reserve board.

Althought in some quarters the committee's action was hailed as a victory for the New York Stock Exchange, the Glass amendment in content differs greatly from the Whitney proposals. In fact, in offering his amendment Senator Glass said he was inspired by a desire to keep the Reserve Board free of having anything to do with the stock market.

Provides Board of Three.

The Glass amendment, which becomes Section 4 of the bill, provided that the Federal Securities Exchange Commission should consist of three members to be named by the President, with the consent of the Senate, with not more than two of the trio to be affiliated with the same political party.

It also specified that "in making appointments members of different political parties shall be appointed alternately as may be practical." The terms of the commissioners would be for two, four and six years. Each commissioner would be paid $10,000 annually, provided that none could engage in any other business or vocation, or participate in any stock market operation.

As originally drawn, the Glass amendment provided that the commissioners would have to be selected from among persons experienced in stock exchange practices and possessing a thorough knowledge of stock exchange technique. This provision, however, was eliminated when committeemen objected that it might be used as a limitation on the President's freedom of choice.

Details of Provision.

"The commission," the amendment provided, "shall have power to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary (1) for the execution of the functions granted to it under this act, including the classification of issuers, securities exchanges and other members or matter subject to regulation under this act, and (2) to define accounting, technical and trade terms used in this act insafar as such definitions are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act."

The Glass proposal was adopted by a vote of 11 to 8, with 6 of the 12 Democrats on the committee voting for the new agency. The vote was originally announced as 10 to 8, but last night Senator Glass said he was authorized to cast the vote of Senator Gore (Democrat), of Oklahoma, in favor of the proposal.

In addition to Glass and Gore, those favoring the new agency were Bulkley, of Ohio; Reynolds, of North Carolina; Adams, of Colorado, and McAdoo, of California, Democrats, and Goldsborough, Maryland; Townsend, of Delaware; Walcott, of Connecticut; Carey, of Wyoming, and Kean, of New Jersey, Republicans.

Those Opposed.

Those recorded as voting against the Glass amendment were Fletcher, of Florida; Wagner, of New York; Costigan, of Colorado; Byrnes, of South Carolina, and Bankhead, of Alabama, Democrats, and Norbeck, of South Dakota; Couzens, of Michigan, and Steiwer, of Oregon, Republicans.

Senator Adams made the motion to eliminate section 2, referred to by its opponents in the committee as "the stump speech." This was adopted, 10 to 8, with the same line-up as on the Glass proposal, except that Senator Gore was not recorded and Senator Bulkley voted against striking out the section, while Senator Steiwer favored such action.

Previously Senator Byrnes made a motion to modify the section, but this failed to carry by a 9-to-9 tie vote. Senator Carey offered a revised form of the Byrnes motion, which was defeated, 7 to 9. After the vote to strike out the section, Senator Glass moved to reconsider the action but subsequently withdrew his motion.

As the Senate Committee was taking this action Representative Fred Britten (Republican), of Illinois, assailed the "un-American provisions" of the bill and urged placing supervision of the stock exchanges in "some form of commission which will understand the complicated intricacies and the inner workings of the stock markets and not by a political commission, whose members have little or no first-hand knowledge concerning securities exchanges."

Scores Radical Authors.

He urged a plan similar to that urged by the New York Stock Exchange, asserting that as the bill stands the Federal Government "under the guise of stock exchange regulation could strangle any business with which it was not in complete sympathy, politically or otherwise."

"Unless the Rayburn committee reports a reasonable bill to the House," he asserted, "it will be amended on the floor so as to meet the demand for legislation that will regulate the stock exchange and not destroy it completely.

"In the Republican cloakroom of the House it is freely admitted that the Fletcher-Rayburn bills were written by Ferdinand Pecora, James McCauley Landis, Federal Trade Commissioner; Benjamin Victor Cohen, PWA, and Thomas Corcoran, RFC, all disciples of the Felix Frankfurter School of Radical Thought."

Bank in Carolina Looted of $5,000

Trio Flee in Auto; Norfolk Police Watch Roads

Norfolk, Va., April 9 (AP).—Three armed men escaped in an automobile after holding up the Farmers Bank of Seaboard, N. C., and locking the cashier in the vault at 11:30 a. m. The loot was reported to be between $4,000 and $5,000.

The cashier was alone when the trio entered. They forced him into the vault and swept up all the cash in sight. A customer entered as the gunmen were leaving.

The bandits jumped into a coupe parked nearby and sped away. Norfolk police this afternoon were maintaining a watch on all roads from North Carolina.

Philadelphia Morning Ledger to Quit Field

Philadelphia, April 9 (U.P.).—The Philadelphia Morning Public Ledger, one of the oldest newspapers in the country, and the Sunday Public Ledger, both owned by the late Cyrus H. K. Curtis and operated since his death by Public Ledger, Inc., will cease publication Sunday, it was announced tonight.

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Rep. Cannon Hurt When Hit by Car

Missouri Member Treated at Casualty Hospital.

Representative Clarence Cannon, 54, of Missouri, was painfully injured last night when knocked down by an automobile as he stepped off the curb in front of the House Office Building, at New Jersey avenue and B street southeast.

Taken to Casualty Hospital by George W. Smith, 30, of 2234 Prout street southeast, driver of the striking vehicle, he was treated for severe lacerations of the face, shock and a possible fracture of the skull.

After treatment, Representative Cannon left for his home at 209 Maryland avenue, acccompanied by his physician, Dr. Jesse Shoup. His home is in Ellsberry, Mo.

Former Senator Ernst In "Critical" Condition

Baltimore, April 9 (Spl.).—The condition of former Senator Richard P. Ernst, of Kentucky, who is under treatment at Johns Hopkins Hospital following a stroke on shipboard about 10 days ago, was reported critical today.

Last week he showed signs of improvement, according to his physicians, but last night he began sinking, and today he was reported much worse than yesterday.

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Disarmament Hope Renewed In Meet Today

Geneva Session Is Called to Consider Plans for Compromise.

By Kendall Foss.

Disarmament prospects are due to receive another lease on life today when the bureau of the conference meets in Geneva to review achievements and examine future possibilities.

Black clouds have lightened materially over the week-end; there is reason to believe the bureau, or steering committee, will deem it wise to continue the conference a little longer. A week ago the chances were more than even that today's meeting would be the last.

Arthur Henderson, president of the conference, was known to be anxious for a showdown and fed up with endless procrastination. France's rejection last month of Britain's modest proposals seemed rather final. No one displayed any desire to revert to Italy's plan to stabilize armaments where they are and allow the defeated powers to come up a ways. Adjournment loomed very close.

Chief cause for the new flutter of hope is an apparent British willingness to nibble at France's latest version of a guarantee on security. Hitherto Paris has conditioned all disarmament on guarantees from other powers that they would spring to her aid should she be attacked. The others have never been willing to give such guarantees.

Hints Change of Mind.

But in her note to London rejecting progressive reduction in armed strength, France suggested she might go in for something of the sort after all if the other powers would guarantee their support in disciplining possible violators of such a disarmament convention.

Disciplining one who overarms is far easier to agree to than promising to join in a war. The application of economic and financial sanctions, or even the threat to apply them, is all that is asked. Britain is considering the idea and sounding out other countries, including the United States and Italy.

Under the circumstances, the representatives of the seven big and seven little powers who make up the steering committee of the Disarmament Conference are likely to hear President Henderson advise further postponement of a general meeting in order to enable private conversations now going on to reach some conclusion.

On its own initiative, the steering committee can do little. It can only arrange to summon either the general council of the conference or the full conference. The general council is a body composed of the heads of all delegations. These bodies are only convened when agreement is near enough to make official deliberations fruitful or when it is so evident no agreement is ever going to be reached that permanent adjournment is advisable.

Postponement Expected Today.

Unless some unforseen explosion of national feelings mars the session today, postponement to give current discussions ample time is to be expected. If these discussions of the new form of security desired by France arrive somewhere, the British plan for gradual (and not too drastic) arms reduction, or the Italian plan for stabilization at the present levels, is in the limelight once again. A compromise becomes a possibility.

Throughout the jockeying for position which has been going on for about a year the position of the United States has remained unchanged. Last May, Norman Davis, as head of the American delegation to the conference, laid down the outside concessions this country was prepared to make in the interests of a general limiting convention.

He said his country would agree to examine cases of aggresion and, if satisfied with the facts, to refrain from hindering the others in their efforts to isolate the offender. Full right to disagree with the verdict of the other nations as to who committed the aggression was reserved. A little earlier President Roosevelt, in his note to all nations, had suggested a good way of determining which nation was the aggressor. He said the presence of troops beyond one's own frontiers should be the talisman.

United States Keeps Trade Rights.

But the waiving of cherished neutral rights to trade with any and all is only offered by this country providing arms reduction takes place. The offer does not hold for a convention which requires no real disarmament.

Even so, of course the Senate would have to pass on such a commitment. Prospects are not too bright if the reaction to the arms embargo bill is anything to go by.

As passed by the House, the bill authorized the President to declare an arms embargo on any nation at war with another. The Senate amended the measure to make it compulsory to impose the embargo on all warring nations or none. The fear was that favoritism might involve this country deeper than it intended.

As amended, the bill is looked at askance in Administration quarters, which regard it as a direct contradiction of undertakings. It is held the measure would once again place the country in the position of having made an offer and then gone back on it. For a full embargo can not be reconcileed with a policy of not hindering other nations in punishing an aggressor all agree is guilty.

Grand Jurors Given Contempt Case Delay

Crown Point, Ind., April 9 (AP).—To allow prosecutors time to prepare a defense, contempt of court proceedings against the grand jury which investigated the escape of John Dillinger from the Crown Point Jail were delayed today until Friday.

The six grand jurors, called to show cause why they should not be prosecuted for contempt because they criticized Judge William J. Murray in their report, spent only a few minutes in court.

Sea Tragedy Narrowly Averted

Post Staff Photo.

Disaster, as shown, threatened for a time when mountainous waves suddenly struck the "Lusitania" in the Lincoln Reflecting Pool. The model of the ill-fated liner was built by C. A. Sorrenson, working every night and in his spare time for a year It is powered by steam, generated from gasoline, and attracted much attention.

Johnson Supports Employers As Fight With Labor Spreads

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istrator's letter, "the Government should not favor any particular form of labor organization. An informed labor democracy should settle the question for itself. On the other hand, while a company might initiate a form of 'company union,' its activities should stop there. It should neither finance, sponsor or direct what the men do. The control of employment is so potent a force that there could be no freedom of choice under such a scheme."

Johnson took pains, however, to assure Wagner that he favored that part of the bill setting up a permanent National Labor Board.

"As you may or may not know," he said, "I recommended the National Labor Board to the President and you as chairman. We would and must have a supreme court of industrial relations."

Bill's Chances Dimmed.

Wagner said he regarded Johnson's statements as an approval of the bill, on wihch open hearings ended yesterday. Informed Congressional opinion believe that it has small chance of passage this session.

Russian Views Close 21 Post Travel Talks

Lecturer to Illustrate Travelogue Tonight at Auditorium.

Closing an extended program of 21 illustrated travel talks sponsored by The Washington Post, A. K. Dawson, noted traveler and lecturer, will describe the Russia of the Soviets, beginning at 8:15 p. m., at the Masonic Auditorium, New York avenue at Thirteenth street. The travelogue will be illustrated with stereoptican views in full color.

This series of travel talks has been sponsored by The Washington Post to give its readers an intimate background for interpretation of international news provided in its daily columns by the Associated Press and other news-gathering facilities. However, political situations and current news events are not touched upon by the speakers, who confine their remarks to brief analyses of past history and to an exposition of the scenic beauties of the various countries of the world which have served as subjects in The Post program.

Because Russia has been so long closed to American tourist travel, recent resumption of diplomatic relations has created an unusual interest and curiosity about this country, which is comprised of approximately one-seventh the world's total land area. Repeated requests from regular attendants at Post lectures therefore prompted this newspaper to add the subject after completion of the series which ended last Tuesday.

Mr. Dawson received a most enthusiastic reception in the third lecture of the series, when he described and pictured the West Indies, and so it is expected that his return to Washington, with this exceptionally interesting, topic, will result in a capacity attendance at the Masonic Auditorium.

Tickets of admission will be priced at 25 cents and will be available at the auditorium box office, beginning today at 7 p. m.

Court Ruling Cuts 20-Story Building Down 12 Floors

Chicago, April 9 (AP).—An opinion which will compel a major operation on a 20-story skyscraper was handed down by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals today.

The top 12 stories of the 40 East Oak street apartment hotel must be carved down to meet requirements of the city zoning ordinance, the court ruled. Slicing the skyscraper down will cost an estimated $343,837.

The $1,800,000 building in the Gold Coast district was rushed to completion in 1928 before other property owners in the area could get action to force conformity with the pending zoning ordinance.

$31,000 Estate Left By Lilyan Tashman

Los Angeles, April 9 (AP).—An estate of approximately $31,000 was left by Lilyan Tashman, screen actress, who died last month in New York. Her husband, Edmund Lowe, filed a petition for letters of administration today.

Keene Named As Woodridge Bank Receiver

Treasury Acts to Liquidate Assets of Present Hamilton Unit.

Establishment of a receivership for the Woodridge-Langdon Savings & Commercial Bank, last of seven restricted banks merging last fall to form Hamilton National Bank, was announced yesterday by the Treasury Department.

Carter B. Keene, attorney, who in February was appointed receiver for the restricted United States Savings Bank, is given additional duty as receiver for the Woodridge-Langdon Savings & Commercial Bank, the office of the Comptroller of the Currency announced. The receivership became effective yesterday and Mr. Keene is expected to assume charge of liquidation of the bank's remaining assets today.

Establishment of a receivership for the Woodridge-Langdon Bank was regarded as probable by the department nearly a month ago when it expressed doubt as to the legality of a protest against a receivership lodged with the department by a committee of directors of the closed institution.

The claim advanced by the directors' committee was based on the fact that most of the customers of the bank, located at 2027 Rhode Island avenue northeast, resided in the neighborhood of the institution and would be greatly inconvenienced by the transfer of its remaining assets downtown to the District National Bank. The latter was then indicated as receiver's headquarters for this bank and is at present receiver's headquarters for five other components of the Hamilton Bank.

The committee also claimed directors had been led to believe the bank would carry out its own liquidation through a conservator and that its assets would not be taken into a new receivership. The committee was not prepared to state last night whether court action will be taken against the receivership.

At the Treasury Department it was indicated Receiver Keene might establish additional receiver's headquarters at the Woodridge-Langdon Bank.

New Brodies

Sailor Rescued After 3 A.M. Dive in Potomac.

Swimming at 3 o'clock in the morning—if waters of the Potomac River are chilly enough—will change ideas of the bravest man.

Thomas Byrnes, 20, a sailor attached to the Navy Yard, will believe this for many years to come. He was standing on the Anacostia Bridge early yesterday, and took a sudden notion to swim. He looked down into the water. The notion stayed with him. He dived.

Splash! Policemen Frank McGrath and T. D. Bailey, in a Harbor Precinct patrol boat not far from the bridge, turned in astonishment. They saw the sailor bobbing about in the water. Already he had changed his mind about swimming and was loudly calling for assistance.

The policemen sped to the rescue. Byrnes was picked up and hurried to dry land. At Casualty Hospital he was thawed out and dried out.

Leaders Move To Force Bank Pay-Off Vote

House Again Threatens to Desert Administration on McLeod Bill.

By Robert C. Albright.

A restless House membership, eyes trained on approaching elections, yesterday threatened to again stray off Administration reservations and force a vote on the McLeod bill to pay off depositors in closed National and Reserve member banks.

Within four hours after a petition was introduced to bring the issue to the floor, 52 members stepped up to the Speaker's rostrum and attached their signatures. Backers claimed enough support to assure a House vote April 23.

The McLeod petition sped unexpectedly to the fore while Democratic leaders were bending every effort toward checking the drive for a vote on the Frazier-Lemke bill to issue new currency against farm mortgages.

13 Short of Vote Strength.

Leaders' work on the Frazier-Lemke inflation petition produced immediate results. Ten members were persuaded to withdraw their signatures, while sponsors of the measure could muster only eight new names. As the House adjourned, signees stood at 132, just 13 short of the number needed to force a vote.

But neither Speaker Rainey nor House Democratic Leader Byrns showed any disposition to fight the McLeod petitioners, despite opposition to the "bank pay-off" bill by Comptroller of the Currency J. F. T. O'Connor and Chairman Jesse H. Jones, of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Chairman Jones told newspapermen the McLeod measure to pay off deposits frozen in closed National and Federal Reserve member banks will result in great loss to the Government.

"I find it hard to justify," he said. "Most of these banks got rid of their best assets before they closed. They stayed as long as they could, and since they closed, most of their good assets have been liquidated."

He estimated frozen deposits in closed banks affected by the bill at about $1,800,000,000.

Representative Clarence J. McLeod, Michigan Republican, who sponsored the measure, said it would take $1,500,000,000 in RFC funds to finance the project. He claims assets purchased by the corporation can be sold without a loss, within ten years "on a rising market."

The McLeod petition was introduced shortly after noon yesterday by Representative Carl M. Weideman (Democrat), Michigan. Weideman, McLeod and Representative Jesse P. Wolcott (Republican), also of Michigan, passed the rest of the afternoon in the Speaker's lobby button-holing members in support of the measure.

Committee Meets Today.

Decision to try for a forced vote via the petition route followed failure of a House Banking sub-committee to ballot on the bill after extensive hearings. McLeod said he feared the House might not be given an opportunity to vote on the bill this session, unless he took this course.

A meeting of the full Banking Committee is scheduled this morning, when an effort may be made to get committee action.

A motion may be offered to instruct a special sub-committee to report the McLeod bill at once to the full committee.

Meantime, a substitute bill was drafted by Representative Prentiss M. Brown (Democrat), Michigan, to permit 100 per cent pay-offs on deposits in both Reserve member, non-member and State banks, and other relief for depositors.

Although the McLeod bill does not go that far, the Republican sponsor of the original measure said he would offer amendments from the floor to extend its scope, when and if a House vote is assured.

House leaders, occupied with forestalling a House vote on the Frazier-Lemke inflation bill, appeared little concerned as the McLeod petition rolled up support from both sides of the aisle.

"I think we have the Lemke petition stopped," commented Speaker Rainey.

Asked about the McLeod bill, he said:

"I am not fighting that. At least, there is some merit in that measure."

Majority Leader Byrns said he indorsed the "principle" behind the McLeod bill.

"But I think it should be limited somewhat, possibly, so it would apply only to small depositors."

Under the rules of the House, two Mondays in every month, the first and third, are set aside as "discharge Mondays." On those days, bills forced out of committees by 145 signatures on a petition may be called up. After the required number of signatures are attached, the bill must lie on the table seven days. Under this procedure, McLeod believes he has a good chance of getting a vote on his bill April 23, the next "discharge" day.

Proponents Optimistic.

Representative William Lemke, North Dakota, who is sponsoring the House move to issue greenbacks against farm mortgages, would not concede Speaker Rainey is right in his claim that he had the Lauke petition "stopped."

"A few members have been persuaded to withdraw their signatures, but we will get all we need," he said. "It has only slowed us up a couple of days."

As one of the original signers of the Lemke petition, Representative Charles V. Traux (Democrat), Ohio, predicted the petition would be "signed up" today or tomorrow.

Insurance Leader Dies.

San Diego, Calif., April 9 (AP).—Percy H. Goodwin, 52, former president of the National Association of Insurance Agents, died here Sunday of a heart attack. He was a director of the Great American Idemnity Co.

In Congress

Senate, House Activities Summarized.

TODAY

Senate.

Will resume consideration of tax bill.

Interstate Commerce Committee will meet in open session at 10:30 a. m., to consider railway labor act.

Finance Committee will meet in open session at 10 a. m., to continue hearing on Moore nomination.

Apriculture Committee will meet in executive session at 10:30 a. m., to consider Dies silver bill and milk investigation report.

Banking and Currency Committee will meet in executive session at 10:30 a. m., to consider stock exchange bill.

District sub-committee will meet in open session at 2:30 p. m., to consider usury bill.

House.

Will debate on public lands grazing bill.

District appropriations bill will be reported.

Bulwinkle investigation of charges by Dr. William A. Wirt opens at 10 a. m., in caucus room of House Office Building.

Appropriations Committee meets to report on District supply bill.

Naval Affairs sub-committee on Marine Corps meets.

Banking and Currency Committee meets in executive session.

Military Affairs Committee has hearing on private bills.

Interstate Commerce Committee opens hearings on communications consolidation bill.

Rivers and Harbors Committee has hearing on Icher bill.

Elections Committee sub-committee continues hearing on Brewster-Utterbach contest.

Postoffice Committee meets in executive session on air mail legislation.

YESTERDAY.

Senate.

Met at noon and recessed at 5:30 p. m. until noon today.

Debated tax bill, rejecting McKellar oil and mining depreciation allowances.

District Committee favorably reported eight District measures.

Finance Committee continued hearing on Moore nomination.

Agriculture Committee referred to sub-committee McCarran National dairy investigation.

Judiciary Committee ordered favorable report on antilynching bill, and on bill requiring National banks to obtain net indemnity bonds.

Banking and Currency Committee voted special commission of three to regulate stock exchanges.

Interstate Commerce Committee revision of communications bill.

House.

Thirteen District bills were passed.

Sub-committee of Military Affairs Committee held hearing on Starr Company inquiry.

Interstate Commerce Committee sub-committee continued revision of stock market control bill.

Agricultural Committee held hearing on grain exchange bill.

Ways and Means Committee met in executive session.

Elections Committee held open hearing on Brewster-Utterbach contest.

Insull's Return Due Tomorrow

May Sail Then, Envoy Says; Will Be Spared All Discomfort.

Istanbul, April 9 (AP).—Samuel Insull may start back to the United States as a prisoner on Wednesday, but the route he will take has not been determined, it was learned today.

American Ambassador Robert P. Skinner said the famed fugitive might be placed aboard the American Export Line ship Executive, in the custody of Burton V. Berry, Third Secretary of the Embassy, designated as the arresting officer by the United States Government.

Insull will be spared all unnecessary discomfort on the return trip, Ambassador Skinner said.

"He is a human being and shall be treated as such," the Ambassador declared.

If the S. S. Executive is chosen by Skinner, it is probable Insull will embark at a port other than Istanbul. It seemed possible that Smyrna might be selected.

The ship originally was scheduled to sail from Istanbul Tuesday, but will be delayed until Wednesday and then will call at various other ports before reaching Smyrna.

Insull was reported dissatisfied with the efforts of his lawyers to prevent his extradition and to have criticized them today.

Business vs. Finance, Coyle Lecture Topic

David Cushman Coyle, economic adviser to the National Public Works Planning Board, will talk on "Business" at 8:15 p. m. at the National Museum, Constitution avenue and Tenth street.

The lecture, second in a series of five discussions on economic and personnel problems, will be under the auspices of the Association of Professional and Technical Employes.

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First Woman Given Degree At Georgetown

Mrs. Genevieve G. Brady, Four Others Honored at Celebration.

Georgetown University bestowed high academic honors last night upon a woman for the first time in the history of the institution in commemorating Founder's Day and the tercentennial anniversary of the founding of the first school of Jesuit education in America.

Before one of the most distinguished audiences ever assembled at Georgetown University, Dr. Coleman Nevils, president, conferred a degree of doctor of laws upon Mrs. Genevieve Garvan Brady, New York philanthropist and vice chairman under Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt of the National Women's Committee of Welfare and Relief Mobilization.

Dr. Nevils then conferred gold medal decorations of Founder's Day upon the Most Rev. Amleto Giovanni Cicognani, Apostolic Delegate to the United States, in the John Carroll Academy of Foreign Service; Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland, in the William Gaston Academy of Law; Mrs. Padriac Colum, New York literary critic, in the James Ryder Randall Academy of Letters, and Dr. Sofie A. Nordhoff-Jung, of Washington, founder of the Nordhoff-Jung Prize for Cancer Research, in the Angelo Secchi Academy of Science.

High Officials Attend.

Ambassadors and ministers of nearly 35 foreign governments, Cabinet members, Supreme Court justices, bishops of the Catholic Church and many prominent educators joined with the university last night in observing the anniversaries.

Georgetown observes the Maryland tercentenary as its own Founder's Day, for the university, started in 1789 by Archbishop John Carroll of Baltimore, sprang from the first Jesuit mission school of St. Marys, Md.

Among the audience were Attorney General Homer S. Cummings, Postmaster General James A. Farley, Secretary of Commerce Daniel C. Roper, Justices Pierce Butler, Willis Van Devanter and Harlan Fiske Stone, of the United States Supreme Court, and many prominent Government officials, members of Congress and representatives of the Army and Navy.

'Miss England' Sues PeerforHeartbreak

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be possible in life for me to ever feel a greater happiness.

"But in my life a month of happiness always has been followed by a year of tragedy. Robin (she said he liked to be called Robin) worshiped me.

"He would go to the market to buy groceries for me to cook for him. I lost my greatest happiness in life when I lost him. Had he been the son of a butcher, it would have made no difference to me.

"I suppose Robin thought at one time he had kissed me good-by. Well, he hadn't.

"I was not some little chorus girl. I've been a bright star in London. I left England so I could attain international stardom through Hollywood pictures. Winning the title of Beauty Queen of England was just one step on the path. Some beauty queens have brains.

"Some people may think I fell in love with Rupert's money and position, but nothing could be farther from the truth."

Army Scans Florida Field.

Miami, Fla., April 9 (AP).—Desirability of Chapman Field here as a possible site for a proposed $6,000,000 Army Technical School was investigated today by an inspection board consisting of Maj. Herbert Dargue, Maj. Edwin Lyon and Capt. Otto Trunk.

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D. A. R. Visitors to See Gardens in Virginia

Many of the delegates to the National Daughters of the American Revolution convention in Washington late this month are expecting to participate in the annual tour of gardens in Virginia the week of April 23-28, under the auspices of the Garden Club of Virginia, it was reported today.

Pangborn and Plane En Route to Columbia

New York, April 9 (AP).—Clyde Pangborn, 'round the world flier, sailed Saturday for the Republic of Colombia, his associate, H. W. Johnson, revealed today.

Pangborn took an airplane which he will demonstrate to the Colombian government, Johnson said. He emphasized that Pangborn had not enlisted in the air service of the South American republic.

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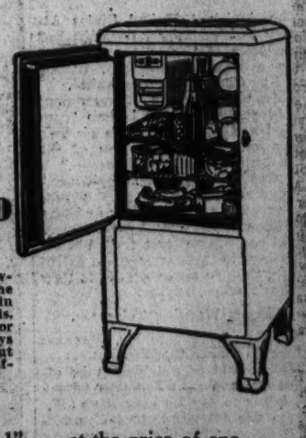
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U. S. Charges Cannon Used Campaign Cash

Surprise Comes as Trial Under Practices Act Opens.

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an active part in the proceedings. Seated behind him, Miss Burroughs, a plump, round-faced, spectacled woman approaching middle age, scribbled down the arguments in shorthand, her pencil flying.

Bishop's Wife Present.

During the afternoon session, the bishop's wife, stylishly attired in black, sat whispering with Miss Burroughs, helping to pass judgment upon the women in venire as they were questioned. Bishop Cannon's son, David, sat near by. The little courtroom was filled to capacity.

After both defendants had pleaded "not guilty" to the two counts in the indictment, which carries a penalty of two years' imprisonment and $10,000 fine, Judge Gordon addressed a series of prearranged questions to the first veniremen to take seats in the jury box.

Among other questions asked prospective jurors were:

"Were any of you employed by the National committee of any political party during the 1928 Presidential campaign? Did you receive compensation from any National, State or local committee? Would your loyalty to any political party prevent your giving the opponents of the candidate of that party a fair trial, according to the laws of evidence and the instructions of the court?"

None Served a Party.

None of the jurors, it developed, had ever served a political party.

"Are your sentiments for or against National prohibition so strong as to prevent you according the defendants a fair trial?"

None of the veniremen admitted as much, but three were peremptorily excused.

"Do you hold any religious prejudice that would prevent your according the defendants a fair trial, in view of the fact that Bishop Cannon is occupying a high position in the Southern Methodist Church and Miss Burroughs is a member of that church?"

There was no admission of prejudice in this direction.

"Would the fact that Bishop Cannon is alleged to have opposed the election of Alfred E. Smith on the ground that he is a Roman Catholic prejudice you?"

None of the jurors admitted being influenced by this, and so the panel eventually was completed.

Woman Juror Debated.

On the question of the availability of Mrs. Naomi A. Jackson, 1601 Argonne road northwest, the lone woman on the jury, M. J. Fulton, counsel for Miss Burroughs, consulted in whispers with his client and Mrs. Cannon. Both women looked Mrs. Jackson over appraisingly and decided to accept her.

In addition to Mrs. Jackson, the jurors are Edgar F. Barnes, sr., 5205 Fifth street northwest, a cabinetmaker; William J. Beall, 13 Rhode Island avenue northeast, a clerk; William J. Newman, 2633 Seventeenth street northeast, an accountant; Edgar H. Lynnham, 1507 Meridian place northeast, a clerk; George Buscall, 2901 Thirteenth street northeast, a salesman; Edgar F. McIntire, 5940 Third street northwest, an office manager; Albert A. Robey, 717 Otis place northwest, an assistant chief clerk; Robert H. Marshall, 3214 Fifth street southeast, a dispatch clerk; Armin A. Hufnagel, 4823 Illinois avenue northwest, a coal merchant; Wallace M. Perry, 3127 Sixteenth street northwest, a salesman, and Harry S. Leimbach, 503 Rhode Island avenue northeast, Associated Press telegrapher.

When the jurors had been sworn, Wilson explained the purposes of the corrupt practices act, and promised to show the defendants conspired to conceal Jameson's contributions. He traced the growth of the Democratic opposition to Al Smith's candidacy in the South to the formation of the "headquarters committee," of which Cannon was chairman and Miss Burroughs treasurer. He told of Cannon's appeal to wealthy men throughout the country and of Jameson's agreeing to contribute $50,000 in instalments of $10,000 each.

Got $8,000 More.

After the entire $50,000 had been paid, Wilson said, Cannon went to Jameson and got $8,000 more. He explained how, under the election act of 1925, Miss Burroughs should have reported these contributions at stipulated periods, and how she failed to do so until February 11, 1929, when she reported them as:

"Donation of E. C. Jameson, $17,000."

The Assistant United States Attorney insisted Miss Burroughs had knowledge of the extent of Jameson's actual contributions, having acted as Cannon's stenographer.

Wilson said the Government would show that the bishop "converted and appropriated to his own use a considerable portion of the contributions made by Jameson."

It was by a "queer coincidence," Wilson said, stressing the phrase and repeating it, that after Jameson had been called upon by a Congressional committee for a report of his donations to the campaign to defeat Smith, Cannon appeared at the New Yorker's office, saying:

Alleges Warning Telegram.

"I want to talk to Mr. Jameson before he makes that report."

Wilson told of a telegram he alleged Cannon sent Jameson telling the latter to say he only gave $17,000 to the "Headquarters Committee," adding "this will agree exactly with our reports."

The Assistant U. S. attorney launched into a lengthy description of how the Jameson contributions, he alleged, were checked in and out of various banks and transferred from Cannon to the committee and back again with Miss Burrough's connivance, to conceal their source and their destination.

Wilson charged Cannon used the funds to repay loans. He also brought up the subject of a trusteeship, but a mild objection on the part of defense counsel prevented him from elaborating upon this phase of the defendant's financial activities.

Among other things, Wilson quoted Cannon as saying he "always carried $4,000 or $5,000 in cash" around with him.

At the climax of his presentation, the prosecutor told of how long after the anti-Smith campaign was over, and successful, Cannon was making repeated visits to New York, seeking and obtaining additional contributions from Jameson and others on the plea of a deficit.

At the counsel table, Bishop Cannon, his head on his hand, appeared asleep.

Reorganized NRA Gives Lynch, New Aid, Power to Sign Codes

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ald Richberg, Alvin Brown and Leon Henderson.

Lynch is authorized to "act on all matters not otherwise assigned which do not require the administrator's personal attention, including final approval in the name of the administrator of codes and other documents requiring the administrator's action and including all matters of office organization and management."

Brown, who has been the personnel officer of the NRA since last summer, will become review officer to "review all documents for the action of the administrator and all final decisions of division heads and staff members for consistency with approved policy and will forward them with his comments to the appropriated staff member or division head."

The title of Harriman is special assistant administrator. Also a comparative newcomer to the Administration, he is a close friend of the President, the brother of Mrs. Mary Rumsey, chairman of the Consumers Advisory Board, and a son of the late E. H. Harriman, railroad magnate. In the new set-up he will have supervision over the selection and appointment of the complete personnel of NRA and take charge of the job of preventing overlapping and duplication of functions.

Richberg General Counsel.

Richberg is made general counsel, a title similar to that which he now holds. His functions in the future, however, will be more than that of legal adviser. A new litigation division has been recently created under A. R. McKnight, whose object is to simplify and speed up the work of code enforcement, and Richberg will have complete supervision over this and "all legal policies throughout the organization."

The fifth member is Henderson, present chief of the research and planning council, who has been chairman of the research and planning council. Henderson, a director of the Russell Sage Foundation and a vigorous opponent of price-fixing and monopoly, will continue his present duties as personal adviser to the administrator, besides having "supervision over all economic policies throughout the Administration."

The military aspect of the new organization is further carried out in the designation of two new "personal and administrative" staffs, who will be Gen. Johnson's aids-de-camp. They include Col. Robert W. Lea, as assistant administrator for industry; Edward F. McGrady, assistant administrator for labor; Miss Frances M. Robinson, assistant to the administrator, and Kilbourne Johnson, the General's son, who will become his father's aid.

Buckley to Join Staff.

George Buckley, a former vice president of the National City Bank, who has been in charge of the newspaper code, will also join the administrative staff. Buckley will supervise the public relations division, which is in direct charge of William Lawson.

The new plans are designed to meet the change in functions which NRA assumes as it passes from the stage of code-making to enforcement, compliance and simplification. They do not call for the abolishment of the compliance division, under William H. Davis, though they appear to take from it much of its importance.

The new plans were regarded as the swan song of the old order in NRA, when Gen. Johnson assumed personal responsibility for virtually all of its functions and decisions. Since the famous field day of public criticism, the Administration has been under an increasing fire of attack from all sides, and it was long since evident, business leaders felt, that moves would have to be made to break through the coils of confusion in which the Blue Eagle was struggling.

It has been contended that the Administration made "more rules than it could remember, much less enforce." Even those most sincerely sympathetic of the aims of the recovery act have voiced the belief that in its administration the NRA has gone far beyond the act's original intentions, and extended its authority into the microscopic activities of the smallest local enterprises.

The introduction of a new point of view, in the person of Col. Lynch, was regarded by observers as an indication that the NRA would make major efforts to rid itself of much of its too-heavy structure, which has caused it to sag dangerously since last February.

Johnson Just on Rest, Roosevelt Aids State

Miami, Fla., April 9 (Spl.).—The only official explanation of the trip Hugh S. Johnson is taking to Florida here tonight was that President Roosevelt had prevailed on him to take a short rest, and that only the development of labor difficulties prevented the recovery administrator from accompanying the President to the subtropics in the first place.

Oft-repeated reports that Gen. Johnson was coming here to resign as head of the NRA were discredited anew by Presidential Secretary Marvin H. McIntyre. The trip north, however, will afford the President ample opportunity to go over the drive for recovery with one of his chief lieutenants.

The party is expected here tomorrow and will remain until the President disembarks from the Nourmahal for the journey to Washington.

Duce's Medal Honors King.

Rome, April 9 (AP).—Premier Mussolini personally presented King Victor Emmanuel today with a Mauritian bronze medal, congratulating the monarch in the name of the government and the people upon completion of 50 years of military service.

Deaths.

Washington Williams, 81 years, 1629 Columbia rd. nw.
George B. Bruen, 80 years, Emergency Hospital.
Solon G. Henkel, 74 years, 605 A st. se.
Laura Bailey, 72 years, 636 Second st. ne.
Catherine Lewis, 65 years, Gall. Hospt.
Salini D. Haddard, 64 years, 2339 Ashmead pl. nw.
Harry L. Collier, 62 years, 3614 Thirty-fourth st. nw.
August M. Mark, 61 years, Rupperts lane.
George Yazge, 56 years, 650 Park rd. nw.
Rose M. Lockwood, 55 years, 910 First st. nw.
Iva V. Cary, 48 years, Sibley Hospt.
Lillian Delaney, 45 years, Prov. Hospt.
Eugene T. Whitehead, 33 years, Gallinger Hospital.
Grace E. Fleming, 28 years, 1622 Lamont st. nw.
Josephine Fletcher, 26 years, 764 Thirteenth st. nw.
Clifford Elgin, 21 years, Prov. Hospt.
Leva A. Weakley, 2 years, 3410 Georgia av. nw.
Bennie Bugg, 57 years, 1920 Tenth st. nw.
Annie Goodhoe, 53 years, 1820 Oregon av. nw.
Jessie Jackson, 2 years, 47 Defrees st. nw.
Mamie Hatton, 2 months, Child. Hospt.
Annabelle Davis, 6 weeks, Child. Hospt.
James Holland, 4 weeks, Child. Hospt.

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Levi A. Hughes, Of New Mexico, Banker, Dies

Leader in State Affairs, Santa Fe Financier Since 1903.

Word has been received here of the death in Santa Fe Sunday night of Levi Allen Hughes, a prominent New Mexico banker and an outstanding figure in the Southwest.

Born in Minneapolis in 1858, Mr. Hughes settled in Santa Fe in 1878 and entered the banking business there in 1903. He became president of the First National Bank of Santa Fe in 1916 and chairman of the board of that institution in 1925, continuing in that capacity until his death. He was also a director of the School of American Research at Santa Fe, and a member of Beta Theta Pi Fraternity.

A public-spirited citizen, Mr. Hughes took a prominent part in the affairs of his adopted State. He was treasurer of New Mexico in 1909 and at various times served on committees dealing with matters affecting the interests of the State, in the banking field and otherwise. As member and chairman of the agency of the War Finance Corporation in New Mexico, and also as receiver of the Livestock and Agricultural Loan Co., through which large sums were advanced by the corporation to stockmen during the critical period of 1921-22, he performed an unusually difficult task. He was formally commended by the officials of the corporation for his work in these capacities.

Mr. Hughes also recently served as chairman of the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation of the Farm Credit Administration at Santa Fe.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Christine Huges, and several children.

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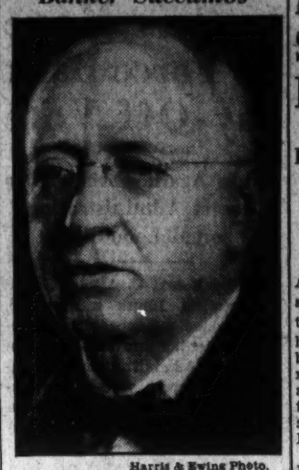

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LEVI ALLEN HUGHES, prominent New Mexico banker, who died Sunday at Santa Fe.

Carol Plot Laid To Staff Officer

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ters by delivering fake bombs and grenades to Bucharest agents were made after March 23 when a former student of Alexander Lapedatu, minister for Transylvania, revealed the plot to him.

The minister communicated with Premier Tatarescu, who arranged for concerted action by loyal elements in the army and thus made possible the arrests Saturday night.

On March 23 police disclosed plans to assassinate the premier and other government leaders. Prof. Gomoju, prominent Rumanian surgeon and a member of the national organization, Koltur Expatria, was arrested then and charged with sending threatening letters to government leaders. He is a close friend of Helen, divorced wife of King Carol.

H. C. Metcalf, Social Worker, Realtor, Dies

Last Rites Tomorrow at Presbyterian Church in Takoma Park.

Herman C. Metcalf, 62, of 405 Aspen street, Takoma Park, manager of the rental department of the Thomas J. Fisher Co., died at his residence Sunday following a brief illness. He was prominent in religious and social service work and at one time was assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here, later serving as general secretary in Locksport and Ossining, N. Y.

Born at Lansing, Iowa, in 1872, Mr. Metcalf attended the public schools there and in the District, where he was graduated from the Business High School in 1891. He was elected first president of his class and president of the Business High School Alumni Association.

In 1896 Mr. Metcalf resigned as teller in the old Union Savings Bank to join the staff of the Y. M. C. A. He was for several years associated with the Boy Scouts of America at headquarters in New York City and later returned to Washington to join the N. M. Minnix Co. He went to the Fisher company a few years later.

At the time of his death he was active as a member of the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church and the Men's Bible Class. He once served as recording secretary of the District Christian Endeavor Union.

Surviving Mr. Metcalf are his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Leonard Metcalf, and two brothers, Clinton Metcalf, of Milwaukee, and Norman R. Metcalf, of New York. He also leaves a sister, Mrs. Harriet Boyd, of Washington.

Funeral services will be held in Takoma Park Presbyterian Church tomorrow at 2 p. m.

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Vital Statistics

Births.

John B. and Mary E. Jamieson, boy.
Harry T. and Gertrude Glorius, boy.
Henry B. and Ruth A. Lillard, girl.
Paul W. and Thelma E. Coey, girl.
Louis L. and Emma V. Collie, girl.
Oasis and Rosa L. Burroughs, boy.
Robert and Helena Jackson, boy.
Thomas and Frances Groves, girl.
Nill C. and Ellen B. Stokes, girl.
John and Lena Queen, boy.

Licensed to Marry.

Vance William Cosgood, 24, 1304 N street northwest, and Myrdie Catherine Foote, 18, 1200 N street northwest. The Rev. A. F. Poore.
Carmelo Siffaino, 31, 511 L street northwest, and Rosina Menaide, 21, 509 Longfellow street northwest. The Rev. J. Fannon.
Robert R. Callow, 21, 1417 Twentieth street northwest, and Anna Margaret Butler, 20, 1142 O street northwest. The Rev. E. H. Roach.
George Johnson Curtis, jr., 23, 1601 Minnesota avenue southeast, and Lois K. Hatton, 23, 3100 Minnesota avenue southeast. The Rev. Otho Eure.
Earl Isler, 23, 2408 Virginia avenue northwest, and Essie Burden, 19, Goldsboro, N. C. The Rev. W. Westray.
Thomas E. Farmer, 38, 1628 New Jersey avenue northwest, and Jessie B. Parker, 32, 1628 New Jersey avenue northwest. The Rev. K. W. Roz.
Lewis Brown, 23, 713 Navy place southeast, and Annie Mae Thompson, 19, 19 Virginia avenue northwest. The Rev. W. Westray.
Tyler C. Webb, 24, and Evelyn M. Webster, 24, both of Pikesville, Md. The Rev. A. F. Poore.
Louis Goren, 27, and Lillian Forminsky, 23, both of Baltimore, Md. Rabbi J. T. Loeb.
Joseph S. Blum, 28, and Edith Davitz, 23, both of Baltimore, Md. Rabbi S. H. Metz.
Thomas E. O'Neal, 27, and Violet D. Snow, 19, both of Amelia, Va. The Rev. H. M. Heinle.
Robert G. Liddell, 24, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Minerva M. Kline, 24, Carlisle, Pa. The Rev. H. H. Ranck.
Oliver Wills, 19, 1123 Second street southeast, and Dorothy Mills, 18, 1106 Second street southeast. The Rev. Isaac Wright.
Maurice Leon Smith, 24, 202 Morgan street northwest, and Annie Davis, 19, 2105 Ninth street northwest. The Rev. J. R. Scott.

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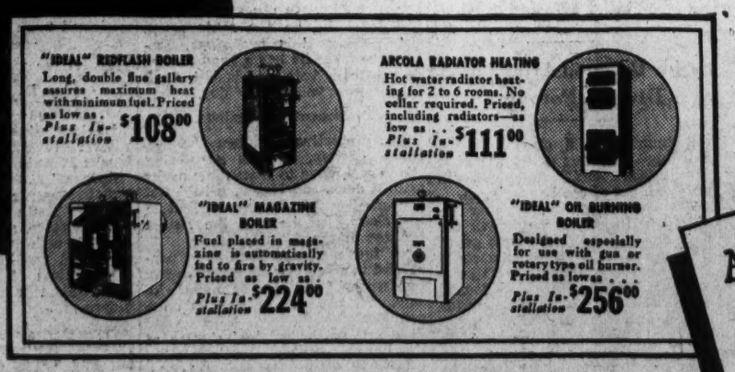
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Cherry Bloom Ball Tickets On Sale Today

Reservations for Other Festival Events Now Obtainable.

First tickets for the reception and ball at the Mayflower Hotel which will terminate Washington's first annual Cherry Blossom Festival April 21 will go on sale at 1417 G street today.

The opening of the ticket office will make it possible for Washingtonians to get reservations for the various other events requiring special admission, it was announced yesterday. Tickets for the horse show and the fireworks display are not yet ready, however.

Admission to the ball and reception will be $5 per couple and $3 singly. Single box seats will be sold for $5 each.

More than 150 special "no parking" signs were completed yesterday. They will be placed in streets and areas where the festival will be in progress. During the festival, the Traffic Bureau announced yesterday, Eighteenth street will be one-way from Constitution avenue to Pennsylvania avenue on the north.

Other traffic regulations include the making of Nineteenth street into a one-way thoroughfare from Constitution avenue to Pennsylvania avenue on the south; G street one-way from Seventeenth street to Virginia avenue on the west, and F street one-way from Virginia avenue to Seventeenth street on the east.

The caste for the Mikado, which will be presented in the Sylvan Theater at 2:30 p. m., April 21, was announced yesterday. It includes Alma Harris, Mildred Sherman, Betty Galbraith, Ellen Neuland, Ira Meyer, Elliott Button, J. Raymond Blaine, Harry Crow, Harry Yeide and George Hayes. The Estelle Wentworth group is producing the play.

Tickets for this event may be obtained in advance at the A. A. A. Building at Seventeenth and G streets northwest; the Willard and Washington Hotels, and the Franklin School Building, at Thirteenth and K streets.

Events Today

Meeting—Retail Lumber Dealers Association, Mayflower Hotel, all day and evening.

Breakfast—Virginia Red Cross, Mayflower Hotel, 8 a. m.

Meeting—Potomac States Bakers Association, Mayflower Hotel, 1:30 p. m.

Meeting—American College of Surgeons, Mayflower Hotel, 8 p. m.

Meeting—Manganese Steel Founders Society, Mayflower Hotel, 10 a. m.

Breakfast—Early Birds, Willard Hotel, 8 a. m.

Luncheon—Women's National Press Club, Willard Hotel, 1 p. m.

Luncheon—Schedule committee, Gridiron Club, Willard Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Dinner—American Red Cross, Willard Hotel, 7:30 p. m.

Meeting—Delta Chapter, Pi Omicron Sorority, Willard Hotel, 7:30 p. m.

Meeting—Order of Christian Mystics, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.

Meeting—Woman's Union, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Willard Hotel, 8 p. m.

Card Party—Church of the Blessed Sacrament, Shoreham Hotel, 8 p. m.

Luncheon—Sigma Chi Fraternity, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Rotary Club, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Board of Veteran Appeals, University Club, 12:30 p. m.

Dinner—Phi Delta Phi Fraternity, University Club, 7:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Phobus Club, Hay-Adams House, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Washington Real Estate Board, Ambassador Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Meeting—Cleaners and Dyers, Ambassador Hotel, 8 p. m.

Meeting—Iota Gamma Phi, Ambassador Hotel, 6:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Operative Builders, Ambassador Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Civitan Club, Hamilton Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Luncheon—D. C. Motor Vehicle Trade, Inc., Hamilton Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

Meeting—City Fire Fighters, Hamilton Hotel, 8 p. m.

Banquet—Catholic University, Hamilton Hotel, 6:30 p. m.

Dance—East Washington Community Center, Eastern High School, 8:30 p. m.

Citizens—Brookland Association, Twelfth and Monroe streets northeast, 8 p. m.

Citizens—Sixteenth Street Heights Association, Shepherd School, 8 p. m.

Meeting—Columbian Division, continental committee on technocracy, Thomson School, 8:15 p. m.

Luncheon—Columbia Heights Business Men's Association, Sholl's Cafe, 12:15 p. m.

Meeting—Columbia Heights Business Men's Association, Riggs Bank Building, 8:30 p. m.

Luncheon—Washington Association of Credit Men, Raleigh Hotel, 12:30 p. m.

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Leonard Hall Urged For Congress Post

Bristol, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Leonard R. Hall, well-known Bristol attorney, may become the Republican candidate for Congress in the Ninth Virginia district.

H. H. Worrell, local Republican chairman, said today he had proposed Mr. Hall's name to a large number of Republican leaders in the district, and had encountered favorable reaction.

Father of Star Tells Court He's Broke in Mansion

Los Angeles, April 9 (AP).—A story of poverty amid surroundings of riches was told in court today by Mary Astor's father, Otto F. Langhanke, who with Mrs. Langhanke is suing the brunette screen actress for support.

The Langhankes live in a Hollywood hilltop estate once valued at $200,000, but the father testified he had only $5 in cash. In the past eight months, he said, Miss Astor had given them $30 in grocery coupons, he had earned $30 as a movie extra and neighbors had helped them with gifts of food. Miss Astor was not in court.

Langhanke admitted he and his wife had not accepted an offer by Miss Astor to provide them a home in Montaea, Calif., with grocery and utility bills paid. The actress' letter making the offer was introduced in evidence.

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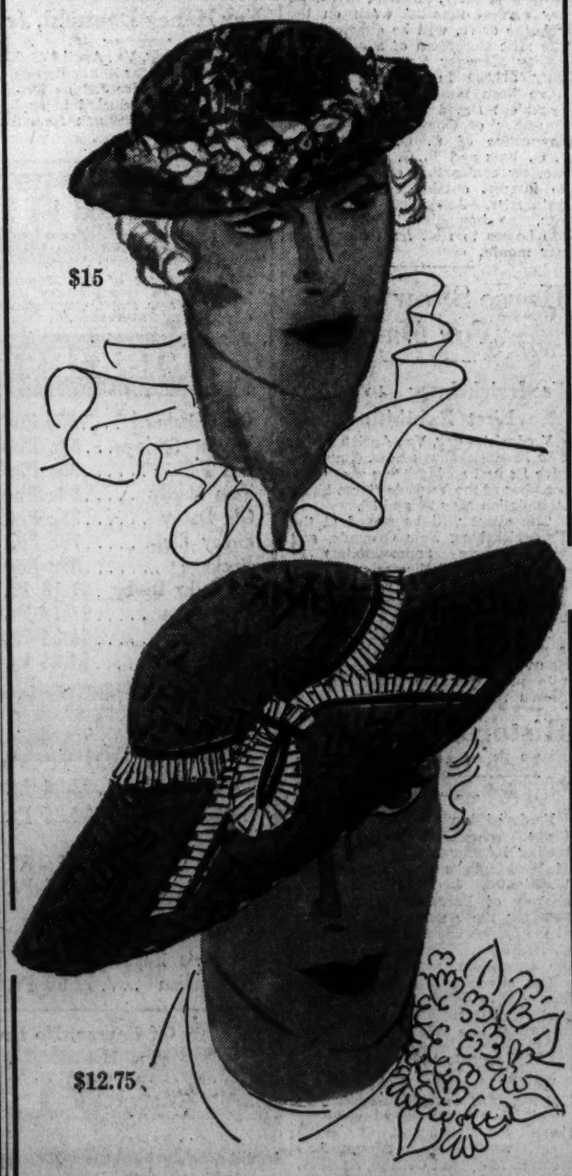

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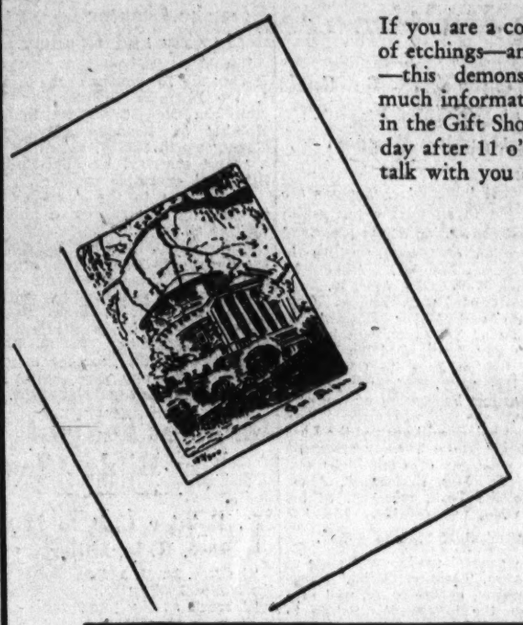

If you are a collector or just an admirer of etchings—and there are many of both—this demonstration will bring you much information. Don Swann will be in the Gift Shop Wednesday and Thursday after 11 o'clock, and will be glad to talk with you about the etching art.

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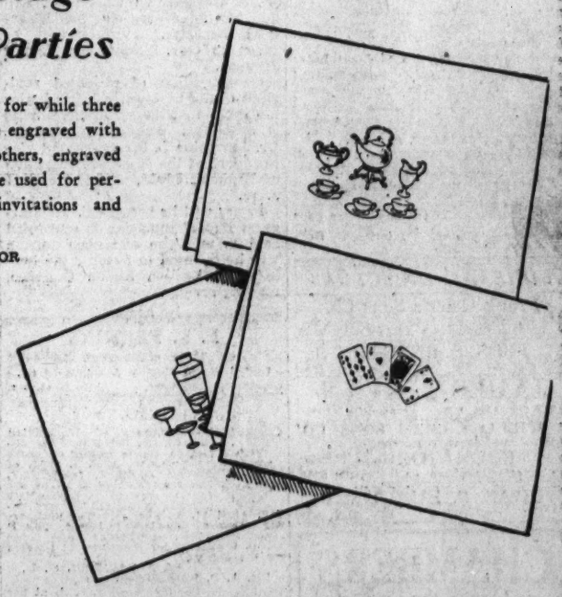

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Martinsburg Students Entrants in Post Scholarship Contest

Members of the senior class of Martinsburg (W. Va.) High School participated whole-heartedly in The Washington Post Scholarship Competition, submitting a large number of essays, from which the school's winner is to be chosen. So well was the idea of essays on pertinent problems of the day received by the faculty that a number of the junior and sophomore classes, though not eligible to compete, wrote essays, the research for which aided them in better understanding the "Problems of Democracy," which they are studying. Roy E. Boone is principal of the school and Misses Irene Lough and Frances Harness were the teachers in charge of the students shown in the above photo.

Page Farmers Bureau Boasts Service Record

Clients Have Been Saved Thousands by Joint Market Buying.

[This is the twelfth of a series of stories on the cooperative farm organizations of Virginia.]

Luray, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—A long record of service to Page County farmers can be claimed by the Page Cooperative Farm Bureau. Organized in 1915 to enable a small group of farmers to purchase feed, seed and fertilizer at lower cost when prices were rising rapidly during the war, the Farm Bureau is one of the oldest cooperative purchasing associations in Virginia.

The membership during the first year numbered about 40 farmers who pooled their orders through a secretary for cooperative buying and took their purchases from the car when it arrived at Luray. The savings obtained in this way stimulated more farmers to join the cooperative, in order to obtain the benefits of joint purchasing, because the Farm Bureau has always dealt only with its members.

By 1917 the membership had increased to 100 and by 1928 there were 140 farmers on the roll. When the price of farm products dropped faster than the cost of things farmers buy during 1930, many more farmers awakened to the cooperative benefits and the membership increased to 200. The volume of business that year amounted to $82,000. By this time the business was sufficient to require the use of a warehouse, so the Farm Bureau purchased a building conveniently located on a railroad siding.

The Page Farm Bureau has been operating on a strictly cash basis for several years with the volume of business during recent years varying from $50,000 to $90,000.

Directors have followed the policy of paying the members their patronage refund on their purchases through the Farm Bureau at the time they purchase the goods. The policy has been to add onto the actual cost of the supplies delivered in Luray only a sufficient margin to safely cover the costs of operating the cooperative, and these have been held very low. The members have thus obtained their supplies at relatively low prices. The Farm Bureau during recent years has been handling approximately half of the farm supplies sold in Luray, indicating a substantial proportion of the farmers of the county have found the services rendered by their cooperative satisfactory and worth while.

For the past three years the management has been in the hands of G. C. Long, who serves as secretary-treasurer.

Two Named on Zone Board.

Lynchburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—W. S. Mundy and Fred W. McWane have been named to the city board of zoning appeal by Judge A. E. Strode in the corporation court.

Women's Club Convention Set In Baltimore

Governor Will Be Guest at Maryland Session Opening Monday.

Several thousand clubwomen are expected to attend the thirty-fifth annual convention of the Maryland Federation of Women's Clubs in Baltimore Monday, April 16, through Wednesday, April 18.

Guests of honor, besides Gov. Ritchie and Mayor Howard W. Jackson of Baltimore, will include Judge Fay Bentley, of the District of Columbia Juvenile Court, and Mrs. Harvey W. Wiley, president of the District Federation of Women's Clubs.

The sessions will open at the Lord Baltimore Hotel Monday afternoon with meetings of committees and directors, Mrs. Rudolph S. Allen, of College Park, president of the federation, will preside.

Admiral Hobson to Speak.

The general session will open at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday. Rabbi Morris S. Lazaron, of Baltimore, will pronounce the invocation. Salute to the flag will be led by Boy Scouts. Mrs. Harry O. Schloss, president of the Baltimore district of the federation, will make an address of welcome. Mrs. Allen will respond. Admiral Richmond P. Hobson, president of the World Narcotic Defense Association, will deliver an address at 11 a. m. on "Narcotic Drug Problems and Plans for Meeting Them, and Similar Organic Ills Now Menacing Social Welfare."

A "Message From the Juniors" will be presented by Mrs. Gertruce Scollfield, vice president of the Woman's Club of Mount Washington. The "president's luncheon" will be held at 12:30 p. m.

The nine departments will hold round table discussions in the afternoon. Dr. Dean Lewis, president of the American Medical Association, is among the speakers.

Tercentenary Banquet.

A tercentenary banquet will be held at 6 p. m. Dr. James S. Ruby, jr., of Georgetown University, will address the diners on "The Maryland Heritage." Toasts will be given to Gov. Ritchie and Mayor Jackson.

Consideration of proposed revisions of the by-laws to bring junior members to a representative basis is scheduled Wednesday morning. Dr. Josephine L. Pierce, second vice president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, will speak at 11 a. m.

Prizes will be presented. A "Margaret Brent" luncheon is scheduled at 1 p. m. The afternoon session will be devoted to hearing the business of Epsilon Sigma Omicron, reading society.

Red Cross Gives $33,267 in Clothes

Roanoke Chapter Is Active in City and County.

Roanoke, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—During the 15 months ended April 1, the Roanoke Chapter of the American Red Cross distributed clothing in Roanoke City and County worth $33,267, according to a report compiled by Miss Emily Blackwell, executive secretary.

Distribution in the county was through the department of public welfare at Salem.

In Roanoke City in 1933 the chapter distributed outergarments valued at $10,965, undergarments valued at $3,353 and bedding worth $1,226. In addition, piece goods valued at $627 and layettes worth $400 were distributed. For the first three months this year the distribution in the city was valued at $4,945 and in the county at $3,950.

Banquet Tonight For Bible Class

Mt. Rainier Unit to Hear Rev. R. H. Miller.

The Rev. R. H. Miller, pastor of the National City Christian Church, will speak at the twenty-first annual banquet of the Men's Bible Class of the Mount Rainier Christian Church at the church tonight.

Harvey Townsend, Washington singer and radio artist, will entertain the diners and lead them in community singing.

George Reid, "The One-Man Minstrel" radio entertainer, also will be on the program. The women's department of the church will serve the banquet, with Mrs. Orin I. Jarrett in charge.

Others assisting in the plans are Earle Smith, Wilford H. Dunn, Thomas J. Llewellyn, Walter Blackman, Shelby Smith, James Ashton Nichols, Carl Bock, William Bondurant and Nelson A. Carr.

The Rev. Fred Miller, pastor of the church, will act as toastmaster, and the Rev. Clifford H. Jope of the Ninth Street Christian Church will offer the invocation.

Mrs. Munson Addresses Chillum Club Tonight

The Chillum District Study Club will meet at 8 o'clock tonight at the home of Mrs. Cecil G. Sipes in Brentwood, Md. Mrs. Nina Piozet will assist the hostess.

Mrs. Luther S. Munson, of Hyattsville, chairman of the international relations committee of the Prince George County Federation of Women's Clubs, will speak. The program committee is composed of Mrs. Meta Huntt, Mrs. Cecil G. Sipes and Mrs. Bernadine Huntt.

Maj. Wise to Address Richmond Republicans

Richmond, April 9 (Spl.).—Maj. Henry A. Wise, of Kiptopeke, who ran as the Republican nominee against Senator Harry F. Byrd, will address a mass meeting of Third District Republicans here Friday night, Robert Bayliss, district chairman, announces.

Maj. Wise has spent several weeks in Washington observing the "New Deal" at close range and reports that "the closer you get to it, the worse it looks."

Fredericksburg Choral Club to Give Concert

Fredericksburg, April 9 (Spl.). A concert will be presented by the Fredericksburg Choral Club in the high school auditorium April 24 for benefit of the high school library fund.

Mrs. A. P. Rowe, club president, is in charge of rehearsals.

Garden Director Named.

Stafford Courthouse, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Miss Elizabeth Silver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Silver, has been appointed garden director of Stafford County, under the subsistence garden program of FERA.

Rare Old Still, Its Stilling Stilled, Now Sought as Relic

Copper Kettle Is Souvenir of the Apple Brandy Days of Yore.

Richmond, April 9 (AP).—All alone amid the desolation of the dismantled prohibition office in the State Office Building here is a legacy of Virginia's dry era which is causing no end of worry to certain officials of the Commonwealth. It is a large, old, hand-made, copper apple-brandy still, captured by State officers several years ago.

Final fate of the still has not yet been determined.

Attorney General A. P. Staples has said that if the Alcohol Beverage Control Board wants it, they can have the "kettle" and its worm.

Meanwhile a move has been launched by several habitues of the State's buildings to have the still preserved, possibly in a museum. Sentimentalists have pointed out that in a few years the equipment will become a relic of historical interest. They assert that, set up in running order, it would be a valuable relic of days gone by when such stills were part of the equipment of every large Virginia country home.

The machine in question is of a far earlier date than most of the "lard-can" stills which turned out illegal liquor during the prohibition period. Experts who have seen it place its date of origin as somewhere in the early Colonial days. Agents who seized it said it was the best-made, the oldest and rarest outfit of its kind that they had ever seen.

Homes Needed In Waynesboro

Steps Are Taken to House Workers on DuPont Rayon Plant.

Waynesboro, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—The Chamber of Commerce here has announced that it will sponsor a building campaign this summer to provide homes for the hundreds of new residents who will be brought to this city as the result of the construction of the new $2,500,000 unit of the DuPont Rayon Co. A survey made by DuPont officials recently showed that $400,000 in homes and apartments, which would rent at a moderate rate, would be needed within a year.

In the meantime, a crisis is facing the city in the matter of boarding accommodations for the construction workers on the new plant, who will number around 2,000 by September. Every available home is rented at this time.

Several Federal and State survey parties engaged on the Skyline drive are occupying virtually all hotel space and there are no facilities for transients. A Federal geological party, due here this week for several months' work on the Skyline drive, will be quartered in the attic storeroom of a hotel.

City Manager Vass reports that only $11,000 in building permits have been issued since March 1. President David T. Coiner, of the Chamber of Commerce, named a committee of C. G. Quesenbery, I. G. Vass and R. G. Vance to interview contracting companies and to interest outside capital in the enterprise. According to Mr. Bacon, the immediate need will be 225 homes to rent from $10 to $25 per month.

Horse Show Set For May 29-30

Fredericksburg to Have First Exhibition.

Fredericksburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.). The Fredericksburg Hunt Club will give its first spring horse show as a member of the Virginia Horse Show Association May 29 and 30.

The event will be staged at the Fredericksburg Fair Grounds, and will feature approximately 24 classes, in which horses from Virginia and Washington will compete. Prizes worth more than $1,000 will be given.

The club's first staff of officers as a member of the Virginia association will be elected next week. Definite plans for the show will be drawn then.

Historic Picture Exhibit Nets $700

Fredericksburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—An exhibition of slides depicting Kenmore, colonial mansion of Washington's only sister, Betty Washington Lewis, and other shrines of Fredericksburg netted $700 for the Kenmore Association at the Casino Club in Chicago, Mrs. H. H. Smith, National secretary of the association, reveals.

The showing was arranged by Mrs. Arthur Meeker, Kenmore regent for Illinois. The money will be applied to a $15,000 debt.

Music Contest Set April 27.

Westminster, Md., April 9 (Spl.). The eleventh annual Eisteddfod, or interscholastic musical competition of the high schools of Carroll County will be held in Alumni Hall Western Maryland College, April 27.

Olivet Orphanage Refused License

Anne Arundel Home Long Under Fire.

Baltimore, April 9 (Spl.).—Refusal of a permit to operate the Mount Olivet Orphanage at Millersville, Anne Arundel County, was announced today by the State board of aid and charities.

A letter to Irving Mezger, president of the orphanage, said: "After duly considering the evidence and brief placed before the board at its meeting April 3, it has unanimously resolved not to issue a license to the Mount Olivet Orphanage."

The institution has been under criticism for about a year, and several investigations of conditions have been made. It was charged that equipment was not adequate for care of the children.

Danville Clearings Gain; Stores Note Increased Trade

Danville, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Danville continues to show marked economic improvement, according to recent figures.

Bank clearings for the first quarter of the year are 50 per cent higher than during the first three months of 1933, but are less than the final quarter of 1933, when the flow of cash paid farmers for tobacco was at its peak.

Clearings for the first quarter of this year were $20,482,203.20, compared with $13,016,236.80 in 1933. A gain of 25 per cent is shown over the first three months in 1932.

A general acceleration in the movement of merchandise is reported, with the gain of purchasing power here. The Dan River Mills are employing 2,300 more people than during the first three months of 1933, and the pay roll has been stepped up from $60,000 to $100,000 per week.

President's Mother Declines Peery Bid

Unable to Attend Rites at Fredericksburg.

Fredericksburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Due to a previous engagement, Mrs. James Roosevelt, mother of the President, will be unable to visit Fredericksburg on Mother's Day, in acceptance of the invitation extended by Gov. George C. Peery in behalf of the local organization of the Association for Preservation of Virginia Antiquities.

Mrs. Roosevelt had been invited to participate in a ceremony at the home of Mary, mother of Washington.

Funeral Is Conducted For Henry Dannehl, Jr.

Fredericksburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.). Funeral services for Henry Dannehl, jr., 36, son of Police Justice Henry Dannehl, were conducted today by the Rev. Joseph Brennan from St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Distribution of Seed Starts Today in Luray

Luray, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—The work of distributing garden seed to needy families will begin tomorrow under the direction of Mrs. Lena Strickler, retired teacher, of Luray, whose appointment as garden director for Page County has just been announced.

Mrs. Strickler will investigate the families and in the fall will assist them in preserving products for the winter.

Three Lightning Bolts Strike Madison Farm

Luray, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—During an electrical storm that swept over Madison County yesterday lightning struck three times on the farm belonging to Mrs. W. L. Payne.

Persons in the Payne home were knocked down when a locust tree in the yard was struck.

Shippers Study Proposed Code

April 14 Set as Dead Line for Suggested Changes.

Norfolk, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Copies of a proposed code governing the shipping industry have been received by shipping agencies here, including the Hampton Roads Maritime Exchange and the port authorities. It is subject to revision, and the NRA has set April 14 as the deadline for suggested changes.

Minimum wages of $200 per month for chief engineers and $150 for first officer and first assistant engineer are stipulated.

The second officer and second assistant engineer would be paid not less than $130 per month and the third officer and third assistant engineer not less than $110.

The following are the minimum for other crew members: Carpenter, $60; boatswain, $60; quartermaster, $55; able bodied seamen, $50; ordinary seamen, $35; water tender, $60; oilers, $60 firemen, oilburners, $50; firemen, coalburners, $52.50; coal passers $40; wipers, $37.50; chief steward, $100; combination steward and cook, $100; chief cook, $85; second cook and baker, $60; messmen, $60; messboys, $30; cabin stewards and waiters (passenger ships), $40; senior wireless operators, $80; junior wireless operator, $70; senior wireless operator, when only one carried, $85.

Lancaster Crop Loan Office Is Established

Lancaster, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—L. E. Moore, field supervisor of the Production Credit Association, has opened an office in the courthouse here and will receive emergency crop loan applications every Wednesday afternoon.

Moore will be at Warsaw Wednesday mornings, Heathsville Thursday mornings, and Montross Thursday afternoons.

DIED

CARY—On Sunday, April 8, 1934, at Sibley Hospital, IVA LILLIAN CARY (nee Barnes), beloved wife of George L. Cary and mother of Clara F. and George L. Cary, jr. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, on Wednesday, April 11, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment Loudon Park, Baltimore, Md. (Baltimore, Md., papers, please copy.)

CARY—A special meeting of Joppa Lodge Chapter, No. 27, O. E. S., is called Wednesday, April 11, 1934, at 12 o'clock, at Joppa Temple, 4209 Ninth street northwest, for the purpose of attending the funeral service of our late sister, IVA B. CARY, worthy matron.
JULIA HARTRANFT, Acting Matron.
BESSIE G. JACKSON, Secretary.

CONNELLY—On Saturday, April 7, 1934, JOHN J., beloved husband of Katherine Connelly (nee McCulloch). Funeral from his late residence, 303 P street northwest, on Wednesday, April 11, at 8:30 a. m. High requiem mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Rock Creek Cemetery.

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CONNELLY — Members of Washington Council, No. 224, Knights of Columbus, are advised of the death on Saturday, April 7, 1934, of Brother JOHN J. CONNELLY, and are requested to attend the funeral services at Immaculate Conception Church on Wednesday, April 11, at 9 a. m. The members will meet at his late residence, 303 P street northwest, on Tuesday night, April 10, at 9 o'clock, for recitation of prayers for the deceased.
M. J. RACIOPPI, G. K.
DR. A. D. WILKINSON, F. S.

FEALY—On Sunday, April 8, 1934, at her residence, 1230 Randolph street northeast, ANNIE M., beloved wife of Patrick A. Fealy and mother of Mary and the Rev. Leo J. Fealy. Funeral from her late residence on Wednesday, April 11, at 9:30 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Anthony's Church, Twelfth and Monroe streets northeast, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

FEALY—The members of the Third Order of St. Francis are requested to assemble at 1230 Randolph street northeast, on Tuesday, April 10, 1934, at 8 p. m., for the purpose of reciting the rosary for the repose of the soul of our late sister, ANNIE FEALY.
Signed by ROSE JUENEMAN, Prefect.

GRAY—On Monday, April 9, 1934, at his residence, 532 Ingraham street northwest, JOHN WESLEY, husband of the late Mary E. Gray, father of Edith M., Harry S. and Wesley D. Gray. Services from the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest on Wednesday, April 11, at 10 a. m. Interment at Glenwood Cemetery.

HEREFORD—On Saturday, April 7, 1934, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Frederick A. Smith, 14 Irving avenue, Providence, R. I., ANNIE R., wife of the late Josiah Hereford, of Lisden, Va. Funeral from V. L. Speare Co., 1009 H street northwest, on Tuesday, April 10, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment Glenwood Cemetery.

KETCHEN—On Sunday, April 8, 1934, at her residence, 512 Kenyon street northwest, NANNIE A. KETCHEN, beloved mother of Frederick E. Ketchen and Mrs. Ruby Erskine, and grandmother of Kathryn Tammaro. Services from her late residence on Wednesday, April 11, at 2 p. m. Interment at Rock Creek Cemetery.

MAYHEW—On Monday, April 9, 1934, CHARLES H. MAYHEW, beloved father of Charles B. Mayhew, Mrs. Elizabeth E. Atkinson, Frank M. Mayhew, Mrs. Bessie C. Spence, Mrs. Florence E. Braund and William V. Mayhew. Funeral from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Bessie C. Spence, 613 Keefer place northwest, on Thursday, April 12, at 11 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

METCALF—On Sunday, April 8, 1934, at his residence, 405 Aspen street, Takoma Park, D. C., HERMON C., beloved husband of Elizabeth B. Metcalf. Body will rest in the Takoma Park Presbyterian Church, corner of Maple and Tulip avenues, Wednesday, April 11, between 12 noon and 2 p. m. Funeral services at the church at 2 p. m.

MONTGOMERY—On Saturday, April 7, 1934, at her residence, 2508 Cliffbourne place northwest, ANNIE J., beloved wife of the late Benjamin F. Montgomery and mother of Mrs. Blanche Gardiner, Mrs. T. C. Berry, Mrs. F. A. Denison, Mrs. Minnie P. Ehrman, Miss Jeanette E. Montgomery and Charles A. Montgomery. Funeral from the W. W. Chambers Co., 1400 Chapin street northwest, on Tuesday, April 10, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. Paul's Church, where mass will be said at 9 a. m. for the repose of her soul. Funeral private. Interment Mount Olivet Cemetery.

RICHARDSON—On Monday, April 9, 1934, at her residence, 15 Ingram avenue, Lyon Park, Va., ARTHELIA FRANCES, beloved wife of Bernard E. Richardson. Services from the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street northwest, on Tuesday, April 10, at 2 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

ROGERS—On Sunday, April 8, 1934, IDA C., beloved wife of the late Samuel G. Rogers. Remains resting in the W. W. Chambers Co. funeral home, 1400 Chapin street northwest, until 10 a. m., Wednesday, April 11. Interment (private) in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

STOKLEY—On Monday, April 9, 1934, at the Homeopathic Hospital, IRENE S. STOKLEY, of 2551 Seventeenth street northwest, widow of James Stokley. Funeral services at Oliver H. Bair's chapel, 1820 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., on Wednesday, April 11, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

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Keen Rivalry Shown Among Post Scholars

Entries Stage Last-Minute Rush With Deadline Extension.

The keenest competition ever staged between talented students in Washington's metropolitan area will be waged before final determination of scholarship winners at American, Catholic, Georgetown and Howard Universities through The Washington Post Scholarship Competition.

This was the conclusion last night of competition officials charged with judging essays on Governmental topics in the project's division eliminations during the coming week.

With the deadline extended to midnight for receipt of entries, the essays were submitted throughout the entire day yesterday to competition headquarters. Many of them were rushed in personally, up to the zero hour, by school champions from Maryland and Virginia counties.

Lawrence Wood, Alexandria High School's youngest senior, submitted a paper on "Fascism, Communism and Democracy" which won for him the championship in that school's finals. The 15-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wood, Lawrence, of 27 Simms street, Alexandria, is an honor student, with exceptional talent and interest in social science and English. He has won poetry and oratorical contests in the past, and this year represents his school in a State debating event.

Laun Writes on Militarists.

From Emmitsburg, on the Pennsylvania-Maryland line, came an essay on "The Influence of Military Leaders on American History," written by Albert J. Laun, leading member of the senior class at Mount St. Marys Preparatory School. Laun defeated all rivals in a close contest, which was supervised by Father Sheridan, principal, and Norbert J. J. Sullivan, English teacher. The Emmitsburg winner is one of the most popular members of his class, being a leader in both scholastics and athletics. He is vice president of the senior class and captain of the varsity basket ball team. He is out to win one of the competition's major awards of a scholarship in the School of Engineering at the Catholic University of America.

A paper on "Our Far Eastern Policy," written by William M. Herron, won top honors at the local Landon School for Boys. Herron, who is 17 and prominent in his school's football and dramatic events, is the son of Gen. and Mrs. Charles D. Herron, of Bethesda, Md. His father is on the general staff of the Army. Herron is interested in mathematics, as well as civics, and plans to take engineering at college.

Feature Writer Wins.

Mary E. Bateman, 16, won first place in the finals at Maryland Park High School in Seat Pleasant, Md., with an essay on "National Security and International Cooperation." An honor student, with special talent in English, Miss Bateman is anxious to study journalism in college. She is the feature writer on the staff of her school paper, takes leading roles in school dramatics and is active on the field and volley ball teams, as well as in the commercial and glee clubs and the athletic association. William D. Himes, principal, and Miss Charlotte B. Zepp, social science teacher, supervised the school competition.

Finals in the Franklin-Sherman High School at McLean, Va., brought victory to Marion V. Day, 17-year-old honor student, who defeated all members of both the junior and senior classes. Her essay is on "Causes and Cures of Unemployment." The final, in which eight high-graded papers were considered, were extremely close, according to G. C. Cox, principal, and G. F. Poteet, social science teacher, who served as judges.

Miss Day is an honor student, is on the staff of her school paper, plays leading roles in dramatics and is active on the baseball and basket ball teams.

Poet Rockville Victor.

Mollie E. Waters, another honor, "A," student, represents the Montgomery County High School at Rockville, Md., with an essay on "The Greatest Issue in American History Since the Civil War." L. Fletcher Schott, principal and teacher of social sciences, was in charge of the school project. Miss Waters is especially talented in journalism and anxious to major in this subject and in English literature at college. She is on the staff of her school paper and has contributed to a number of magazines. She won a cash prize recently for a poem from an English publishing company. She is an officer in a number of school organizations.

James Widmayer, 16, of 911 Silver Spring avenue, Silver Spring, Md., won the Takoma-Silver Spring High School finals with his paper on "Fascism, Communism and Democracy." He is keenly interested in social science studies and anxious to major in foreign service at college. He is president of his class council and active in school athletics. Widmayer defeated his entire senior class of 75 students who competed under supervision of Mrs. Hilda Nutter, social science teacher. E. M. Douglass, principal, and Miss Marion Schwartz, English teacher, assisted Mrs. Nuter in the judging.

National Defense Analyzed.

Louise Farsht, "A" honor student at the Oxon Hill (Md.) High School, won her school finals with a paper on "Problems of National Defense." Lucille Goodwin was announced as alternate. Miss Farsht, who is 17, is vice president of her school literary society, a leader in sport and dramatic events, and is anxious to take a premedical course in college. She formerly attended the Carnegie group for educational experimentation in the Altoona (Pa.) High School. William T. Jobe, principal, and Miss Mercedes M. Waldron, English teacher, directed the competition.

Other Maryland entries included "The Problems of National Defense," by Margaret Hill, Hempstead High School; a paper on the same topic by James Burroughs, jr., Lackey High School at Indianhead; "The National Industrial Recovery Act," by Alice Pyles, Arundel High School at Millersville; "The Monroe Doctrine and Pan-Americanism," by William Taylor, Charlotte Hall Academy, and "Causes and Cures of Unemployment," by Susette Burrier, Liberty High School at Libertytown.

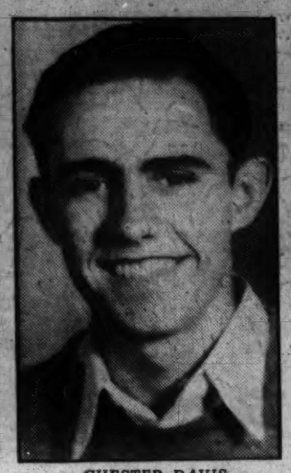
Depressions Berryville Subject.

From Virginia came others as follows: "The Causes and Cures of Unemployment," by Paul Woodson, Crozet High School; "Reorganization of Local Government," by Esther L. Kagey, of Dayton High School; "The Depressions of 1837, 1873, 1893 and 1929," by M. Rhett Everhart, Berryville High School; "The Gold Standard or Managed Currencies," by Naomi Whitman, Round Hill High School, and "The Military Unpreparedness of the United States," by Elfreda Sisk, Upperville High School.

Essays reaching The Post between the time this account goes to press and midnight, deadline hour for entries, will be considered in the division finals. Division winners, to be announced in The Post April 15, will receive silver medal awards and will progress into the project's finals on the campuses of American, Catholic, Georgetown and Howard Universities between April 28 and May 13, when the scholarship winners will be determined.

Essay Finalists in District and Nearby Schools

JAMES WIDMAYER.



CHESTER DAVIS.

WILLIAM STERLING.

WILLIAM M. HERON.

LAWRENCE WOOD.

Post Staff Photos.

These five youths have been declared finalists in competition in their various schools in the District and nearby Maryland and Virginia in the essay contest conducted by The Washington Post.

Fish Prowess Of President Is—Oh, Well!

Roosevelt, Fine and Dandy, Finds "the Boys" Still a Little Skeptical.

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ous successes of the voyage about the Bahamas. For himself, he made claim only to landing a large sperm whale which, unfortunately, had been freed before arrival of the newspaper party.

Waving aside questions of more serious nature with the explanation he would have to get back to Washington for more complete information, he disclosed only how much he had enjoyed the trip; that he has been getting 10 hours' good sleep and that he will land late Wednesday or Thursday at either Miami or Jacksonville for the return to Washington.

Throughout, the President maintained a running-fire of conversation that shed light on several phases of his vacation. He revealed that he signed the two bills of Congress Saturday while on the high seas, near Anguila Island. It was clear that the party considered this spot the high light of the whole trip.

In this carefree atmosphere, Mr. Roosevelt has now spent almost two weeks confident that all is going well on the mainland. The White House correspondents, who were piloted across the Gouif Stream by Gar Wood in one of his speed boats, were accepted as self-appointed investigators of his fishing.

Germany Asks Britain To Bar "Hate Film"

Berlin, April 9 (AP).—The German government has protested to the British foreign office against the showing in Great Britain of the American motion picture "Captured," it was learned today.

The German government objected to the film on the grounds that it was "a hate film," defaming the officers of the old imperial German army.

Newspaper Plant Stoned.

Mexico City, April 9 (AP).—After speakers had attacked the government, a crowd of 100 demonstrators stoned the office of the government newspaper Nacional today. Police arrested the entire group without casualties.

Film Table

Screen and stage features are shown on the following schedules:

Loew's Fox—"Looking for Trouble," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:36, 7:20 and 10 p. m. Stage shows, with Jimmy Durante in person, at 12:35, 3:30, 6:25 and 9 p. m.

Earle—"Gambling Lady," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:25, 7:10 and 10 p. m. Stage shows, at 12:35, 3:25, 6:10 and 9 p. m.

Rialto—"All Quiet on Western Front," at 11:11 a. m., 12:55, 2:39, 4:23, 6:07, 7:51 and 9:35 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Wharf Angel," at 12:20, 2:45, 5:05, 7:30 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"Sin of Nora Moran," at 11:35 a. m., 1:20, 3, 4:45, 6:30, 8:15 and 10 p. m.

Palace—"Riptide," at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:40, 5:40, 7:40 and 9:40 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Wild Cargo," at 11:43 a. m., 1:48, 3:53, 5:48, 7:43 and 9:38 p. m.

Tivoli—"Gallant Lady," at 2:25, 4:10, 6, 7:45 and 9:35 p. m.

Ambassador—"Gambling Lady," at 6:15, 8 and 9:45 p. m.

Horse Racing and Boxing Bills For District Pass in House

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mission of three members appointed by the District Commissioners. They would serve without salaries for two years. One of them must be a member of the Police Department. The commission would issue boxing permits.

$535,000 Tax Seen.

Black estimates that his racing bill, which permits the pari-mutuel or certificate wagering system, will net the District $535,000 a year from the 2 per cent tax on receipts by racing associations and a 10 per cent admission tax. His estimate of receipts, from the sale of pari-mutuels is $20,000,000. In addition, he figures, the District will collect $11,250 a year in realty taxes on race tracks and undetermined amounts from personal taxes and water rents.

A threatened filibuster by Representatives Blanton and Patman (Democrats), Texas, prevented Chairman Norton, of the House District Committee, from calling up what she considered the most important pending measure, providing old-age pension relief.

Subsequently Mrs. Norton announced that she had been promised ample time by Speaker Rainey on the next District day to present the bill, which would provide $35 a month to indigents of 65 years of age or over who had been Washington residents for ten years.

Liquor Amendments.

Three of the four liquor amendments reported favorably by the District Committee were adopted, but one of them carried provisions which nullified the fourth amendment.

Representative O'Connor (Democrat), New York, led a successful fight to withdraw from drug stores the privilege they now have of handling liquors and light wines and beers in bottle form for consumption off the premises.

Chairman Norton accepted the amendments only after O'Connor threatened to defeat the entire amendment, which removes the one-license restriction on chain stores.

O'Connor spoke in favor of the major aim of the amendment and declared that wider licensing of chain stores would be "the only way we'll break the whisky trust." He predicted that the "time will come" when chain grocery stores will operate their own distilleries.

The New York Representative based his opposition to the amendment on the ground that it would permit drug store chains, as well, to hold more than one off-sale permit.

He also renewed his insistence that the labeling provision, which the amendment would have deleted as unnecessary, be retained.

Merits Discussed.

During the debate the members engaged in a spirited but good-humored discussion of the merits of blended whisky, with Representative Dirksen (Republican), Illinois, acting as its sole defender.

Representative Palmisano (Democrat), Maryland, spoke in objection to the entire amendment and charged that representatives of the chain store interests had taken advantage of his absence to persuade the District Committee to report favorably on the amendment.

Palmisano had been acting chairman of the committee for sveral weeks during the absence of Mrs. Norton, but on the day Mrs. Norton returned Palmisano was absent at the committee meeting. He explained, however, that he did not blame Mrs. Norton.

Representative Truax (Democrat), of Ohio, while protesting against high prices charged for liquor, said:

"It's not the people of the District but our constituents we want to protect."

He referred to the O'Connor plea for rentention of the labelling provision.

Aim of Amendments.

The other two liquor law amendments passed with little discussion. The Palmisano amendment is designed to substitute a stamp tax schedule for the present system of reporting sales and is indorsed by the District Commissioners. The Weideman amendment would permit nonconforming stores in residential zones to obtain off-sale permits for spirits and light wines and beer.

The Black amendment, governing chain stores, would not become effective until 90 days after it becomes a law. It is expected to reduce the prices on liquor in the District.

Because of the O'Connor amendment barring drug stores from holding off-sale permits, the Dirksen amendment to permit drug stores to fill prescriptions with blended whisky was nullified and not presented by Chairman Norton.

The other bills included six which already have passed the Senate. They (1) authorize the District Commissioners to sell the unused Potomac School property on Twelfth street between D and E streets southwest, which has an assessed value of $24,316; (2) authorize the National Capital Park & Planning Commission to exchange public and private property on the Whitehaven parkway at Huidekoper place; (3) change the name of B street southwest to Independence avenue; (4) to exempt the American University at Cairo from the act prohibiting the use of the name "American"; (5) to grant a chiropractic license to Della D. Ledendecker, and (6) to give the superintendent of insurance jurisdiction over workmen's compensation insurance rates.

Snow Bill Passed.

The Jenckes bill to impose a penalty of $5 a day on property owners for failure to remove snow from their sidewalks within eight hours was passed with an amendment offered by Blanton transferring the penalty to tenants when the owner does not reside in the property.

A bill designed to change the act incorporating the Mutual Fire Insurance Co. also was passed.

Action on a bill to pay Jennie Bruce Gallahan, widow of a lieutenant in the fire department, $5,000 was deferred after it had been suggested that the money should be taken from District funds rather than out of the Treasury.

Representative Palmisano meanwhile introduced a bill to amend the provision of the District liquor act concerning Class C retailers' licenses so as to reduce the fee charged marine vessels engaged in interstate commerce of 100 miles or more to $2 a month or $20 a year. The present license fee is $50 a month or $500 a year for all marine vessels operating in District waters.

Mrs. Edison Gives First Aid in Crash

Fort Myers, Fla., April 9 (AP).—Mrs. Thomas A. Edison, widow of the inventor, pulled three persons from their overturned automobile and administered first aid from a kit in her own car, it was revealed today.

The accident occurred Saturday, but Mrs. Edison asked that nothing be said of her part.

Mrs. W. W. Larimer and her son and daughter were riding in the automobile, which turned over twice.

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Crowded D. C. Schools Laid To Congress

Congested Condition Here Blamed on Failure to Give Funds.

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create employment. Right now the Administration is planning a gigantic housing campaign. It is argued that building activity does more to create employment and to revive business than any other activity.

Advocates of a great building program point out the great variety of materials and the great amount of labor that goes into a building.

Erection of school buildings would use up much material and employ much labor. Perhaps it is not too much to hope that the Government, when it considers housing, will also consider school housing and move to relieve the congestion in Washington schools, as well as that in schools in almost every other city in the country.

The National Emergency Council is now formulating a housing program, which will be administered by the National Recovery Administration. School officials and parents hope that this program will include schools.

Enrollment has been increasing rapidly, especially in the high schools. In Washington it has been increasing also in the elementary grades. In many cities the number of children entering school for the first time is declining. That is because the birth rate in America is rapidly dropping, and this drop is beginning to be felt in the schools.

Enrollment Increasing.

In Washington, where economic conditions are more stable than most places, the number of first-grade pupils has gained rather than decreased. A part of this is because of the increased population of Washington with the arrival of many new residents brought here by the operation of the New Deal.

The recovery program had added greatly to the school problem, because of the city's increased population, but the recovery program thus far contains nothing that would help solve the problem.

High-school enrollment has increased steadily in Washington, as elsewhere, for many years. This is partly because of laws requiring children to attend school beyond the usual ages at which they leave the grade schools. It is also partly because parents realize the necessity for giving their children better training, and recently because children who would be employed in normal times can find no employment and are turning to the schools.

The following table shows the actual enrollment in the District of Columbia elementary schools on November 1 over a period of five years:

Year	Enrollment	Increase or Decrease Over Previous Year
1928	50,584	.....
1929	51,446	862
1930	52,859	1,413
1931	52,383	476*
1933	52,735	352
1933	53,084	349

*Decrease. All other figurs are increases.

Slight Net Decrease.

During this period, however, there was a slight net decrease in the enrollment of pupils in white elementary schools, while there was a very considerable increase in the colored schools.

Census figures show that while there was a considerable decrease in the country as a whole in the number of children under 5 years of age in 1930 as compared with 1920, the reverse was true in Washington.

The 1920 census showed 30,436 children under 5 years in the District, as compared with 32,304 in 1930. This, of course, does not include the substantial number who have been brought here since 1930, with the city's increase in population brought about by increased Governmental activities.

These figures indicate that there will be no abatement of the school housing problem because of decreased enrollment, but rather that more room must be made for additional children.

The problem of relieving the congestion in the elementary schools, does not appear to involve construction of new buildings for these grades, but rather the erection of more junior high school buildings. Many of the elementary schools are overcrowded not because they house more than their capacity of elemental pupils but because the seventh and eighth grade pupils who would normally go to junior high schools are being retained in elementary school buildings because there are not sufficient junior high school accommodations.

Missed Junior High.

In 13 of Washington's elementary schools there were on November 1 a total of 1,357 seventh and eighth grade pupils who had no opportunity to attend junior high schools and who caused the elementary schools involved to be overcrowded in most instances.

In this way the older pupils are deprived of the advantages junior high schools were designed to give them and at the same time the younger pupils are deprived of the advantages of proper school surroundings and facilities. Of these 1,357 pupils who would normally be in junior high schools, 1,192 are in white schools and 165 in colored schools.

This situation has been relieved a little by the recent opening of the Taft Junior High School, which took 376 seventh and eighth grade pupils out of the Langdon and Woodbridge Schools, but in the main, the problem remains unchanged.

The next article will discuss high school and and junior high school enrollments and some specific building conditions.

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Hundreds Hunt Pair of Killers In Southwest

Dillinger and Barrow Are Sought in Vicinity of Kansas City.

Kansas City, April 9 (AP).—A methodical manhunt—devoid of the spectacular, but none-the-less determined—was carried on by hundreds of officers in Southwestern States today, for Clyde Barrows, Texas desperado, accused of a dozen killings.

At the same time authorities were on the lookout for John Dillinger, who escaped several weeks ago from the Crown Point, Ind., jail.

Highways were patrolled, squads of officers were concentrated at stratetic centers ready for action, and plans were perfected for quick cooperation between the law enforcement forces of the various States. Department of Justice agents were assisting.

Authorities worked on the theory that Barrow, his gunwoman associate, Bonnie Parker, and a pal now believed to be Henry Methvin, escaped Texas convict, had fled in a car stolen in Topeka, Kans., Saturday.

The car used by the trio Friday, when Barrow shot and killed Cal Campbell, Miami, Okla., constable, and kidnaped Percy Boyd, Commerce, Okla., police chief, was found north of Ottawa, Kans., Saturday night.

In the hunt for Dillinger, police at Topeka notified authorities at Junction City and Manhattan, Kans., to be on the lookout for a car carrying three men and a woman. A Topeka filling station operator said the machine had a Minnesota license number similar to that reported being used by Dillinger. The driver asked the way to Junction City.

At Hugo, Colo., Sheriff John Johnson and his deputies chased a large black sedan in the belief that the driver may have been the Indiana fugitive. Two Hugo men reported they saw machine guns in the vehicle.

A guard was maintained on the Colorado River bridge at Yuma, Ariz., in the belief Dillinger might be attempting to escape into Mexico.

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Luck To Sasquatch.

Sasquatch is on the run. He is reported heading for his cavernous hide-out in the north woods of British Columbia, with two students, both clutching cameras, at his heels. This hairy, villainous phantasm, who since time immemorial has terrified Indians and trappers in the Harrison Lake region, will have to hurry if he wants to elude his pursuers. There is nothing so inescapable as students with cameras once they have made up their minds. And it seems that this pair is determined to trap Sasquatch, photograph him in all his monstrous hideousness, and preserve his portrait in the anthropological files of the University of California. A highly undeserving venture, it seems, and one which should be discouraged.

Look at what happened to Paul Bunyan! He used to be just a big, bruising lumberman who could toss mountains around and who used a forest for toothpicks. Then the students got after him. The same forest he used after dinner, now regrown, tumbled to make paper for tomes about him and his legend. Investigators tracked him from the Penobscot to Puget Sound and wrote biographies about him by the dozen. They did not photograph him, it is true, but they might just as well have done so, so well known did they make him. Now his exploits are recounted only in Greenwich Village, and perhaps not even there, what with the improvement in gin.

Let us hope poor, unhappy Sasquatch, flitting through the hills and glades like any hunted creature in the twilight, will elude the students who, when after a legend, are as inevitable in pursuit as is the Canadian Royal Mounted. He is to be pitied in his flight, fearful of being shot, not by a gun (which would have no effect upon him) but by a camera, which would make him known to man. That would be the cruelest cut of all. Like the S-a S-p-nt of L-ch N-ss, like the sheep-headed Ogopopo of Lake Okanogon, like all phantasmagoria, Sasquatch fears man only when he fights with a clicking lense. For in the daylight of celluloid knowledge he is apt, like the wild beast captured in Washington on Sunday, to turn out to be only a honey bear after all.

A Good Move.

By a vote of 10 to 8 the Senate Banking Committee yesterday adopted an amendment to the Stock Exchange bill, offered by Senator Glass, which would place regulation in the hands of a new commission of three, exercising the powers which it was at first proposed to vest in the Federal Trade Commission and the Federal Reserve Board. This is a move in the right direction, in line with the constructive recommendations made in the Dickinson report, which preceded introduction of the Fletcher-Rayburn bill. Effective regulation would be much better assured by vesting control and supervision in the hands of men who are not distracted by a multiplicity of regulatory duties that have no connection, or only a remote connection, with the exchanges.

As the Dickinson report said: "the commissioners charged with the work must be men of unusual qualifications who must hold the respect of the country, and such an agency should give continuous representation to the views both of the investing public and the exchanges." If men of this caliber were selected, there would be little excuse for imposing a rigid system of regulation by detailed statutory enactments. Presumably they would have the training and the judgment to exercise discretionary control with due regard for the interests of the investing public. That is the most effective kind of regulation. Hard and fast rules of procedure are by no means a certain measure of regulation, however effective they may be for purposes of destruction.

The Canine Code.

Responsible owners of pets, especially of dogs, will be greatly interested in the progress of the codes now being drawn up to regulate the huge dog-food business. Although this "canine code" may seem to lend itself to humorous interpretation, the underlying situation is in reality serious.

Millions of dollars are spent annually by pet owners for canned meat preparations and dog biscuits. It is well known that many of these foods are of inferior quality. This is especially true of some dog biscuits. Veterinarians assert that they cause an amazingly high percentage of the ills our pets are heir to. Next to distemper, digestive disorders traceable to prepared foods are said to cause the greatest number of canine deaths. Not all illnesses can be attributed to this cause, of course, but many of the tragedies of the dog world are traceable to biscuits and canned meats unfit for canine consumption.

The proposed code will contain clauses aimed at banning the use of factory sweepings and other foreign matters in prepared pet foods. The large animal-food industry will probably welcome the opportunity to secure elimination of ingredients generally harmful to pets. If the new code can eliminate, or even lessen, this vicious practice, thousands of pet owners everywhere will be grateful.

Today's Hearing.

It is rumored that when Dr. William Wirt appears before a Congressional committee today the tactics of Administration spokesmen will be to "smear" the witness. To a considerable, although rapidly diminishing number, the charges brought by the Gary superintendent of schools have seemed fantastic. For that reason he may, in effect, be asked to "put up or shut up" on the unnamed informant who is said to have told him that "Mr. Roosevelt is only the Kerensky of this revolution."

The Washington Post holds no brief for Dr. Wirt, and none for the Committee for the Nation, with whom he appears to be working for monetary policies which we regard as inimical to the public interest. But we are none the less certain that any attempt to stifle, bully or casually dismiss this witness would be a blunder of the first magnitude. For, quite regardless of what Dr. Wirt knows or doesn't know; quite aside from what groups indorse him and what groups ridicule him, he is unquestionably entitled to speak his mind today. He suspects that the Administration has objectives for which it has received no popular mandate and he comes to Washington with the right of an American citizen to ascertain whether or not his suspicions are justified.

One very good indication that these suspicions are based on sound premises has just been given by Adolf A. Berle, now a member of Mayor LaGuardia's municipal cabinet and one of President Roosevelt's original advisory group to which the term "brain trust" was first attached. In an interview in the *Daily Princetonian*, as quoted by the Associated Press, Berle yesterday explained the origin of the Kerensky analogy. Wirt, according to Berle, was a "credulous old duffer" whom "the boys who are connected with things down in Washington" enjoyed kidding when "they were all in pretty good spirits."

If Mr. Berle had sought to support Dr. Wirt, he could not more effectively have explained why an increasing proportion of the American public has come to regard the latter's appearance before Congress today as important. For over a year now that public, with exemplary patience, has listened to a lot of wise-cracking sophomoric wit from a group of rather inexperienced enthusiasts who, drunk with unaccustomed authority, seem to think they have a monopoly on all political and economic wisdom. To call this naive and garrulous group Communistic is ridiculous. To call them dangerous from their very egoism, conceit and overbearing self-righteousness is not so very far fetched.

Whether or not Mr. Berle has correctly sketched in the background of the Wirt episode we do not pretend to know. But that he has justified in advance the trouble and expense of bringing that witness to Washington is apparent. It is high time that the "credulous old duffers" have their day in court. The incredible young playboys who regard the United States as their private laboratory for untested social and economic experimentation have held the stage unchallenged long enough.

A Hesitant Beginning.

Secretary Morgenthau professes to be gratified with the response made to the Government's conversion offer, but the fact remains that after four days only $550,000,000 of bonds had been presented in exchange for the new issue of $1,250,000,000. The enthusiastic market reception accorded the Treasury's plan led to the inference that the conversion operations would be speedily concluded. In contrast we now find Mr. Morgenthau suggesting that holders of called bonds may be unaware of the advantages of the conversion, which is doubtless the case.

It is, however, equally likely that a considerable proportion of fourth Liberties are in the possession of banks, with no desire to exchange called issues, which are in effect short-term securities, for new long-term bonds, running ten to twelve years. However advantageous the offer may seem from the private investment viewpoint, banks already heavily loaded with Government issues may readily hesitate to add to their long-term holdings.

The excessive concentration of Government securities in the portfolios of our banks constitutes a major obstacle to extensive conversion operations. Funding of the short-term debt is, however, much needed to reduce the large volume of this indebtedness, which presents a financing problem of increasing seriousness to the Treasury. For that reason, the Government's latest offer has aroused favorable comment. Hopes have been expressed that it would mark the beginning of an effort to bring about a better distribution of Government issues by making an appeal to long-term investors, individuals and institutions. It would be most unfortunate, therefore, if a hesitating response to the present conversion offering were to prevent further progress along similar lines.

James Kerney.

James Kerney, publisher of the Trenton *Times*, who died Sunday at Johns Hopkins Hospital, had no claim to national cognizance upon his own account. He was what he aspired to be: The editor of a newspaper with a provincial circulation, a man with fine wit and charm, admired and liked by a wide circle of people. But, beyond that, he won national recognition because he wrote a book about President Wilson which Oswald Garrison Villard called a source book for historians. So critical a recorder as Charles A. Beard was also high in his praise of this story of a President written by a man who had started his career as a wagon painter.

It was not only Mr. Kerney's fine understanding of human nature—reflected in his Wilson book—but also his keen sense of political psychology which made him an authority upon Wilson. He understood the phenomenon of a college president projected into the White House primarily because he understood the currents and play and counter-play which figured in the making of that phenomenon.

An Effective Alibi.

The fact that Great Britain ended the fiscal year on March 31, with a budgetary surplus exceeding $160,000,000, has aroused the temper of a number of Congressmen. They fail to understand why a country that can make such a brilliant fiscal showing is unwilling to pay the United States an equivalent sum on debt account. Passage of the Johnson bill by Congress, which places the government of Great Britain, together with other war debtors, in the category of defaulters disbarred from the American loan market, is the concrete form which this irritation has taken.

As previously stated in these columns, this method of trying to coerce debtor governments may have some value for purposes of general bargaining. But it is evident that many advocates of the Johnson bill have not tried to think through all the underlying difficulties which—quite apart from political considerations—have caused a suspension of debt payments. Attacks upon the British for refusal to pay us when they have a budgetary surplus illustrates the confusion of mind that prevails. British objections to meeting interest under the debt-funding contracts are not due primarily to the burden entailed by appropriating funds for the purpose, although that is undoubtedly onerous. It is not the difficulty of raising the money in England, but the difficulty of transferring it to this country in a form acceptable to us which has given an effective alibi against continued payments in full.

For several years the British have had a deficit on current international trade account, even with the correctives provided by a depreciated currency. Last year, due to remission of American debt payments and for other reasons, they were able to approach, if not quite reach, a balance. Of course it is Britain's ambition to go forward and re-attain her old position as a creditor nation with money to lend abroad. And unless she can attain such a position resumption of payments to us on any considerable scale is exceedingly difficult, if not impossible.

There is incontestable logic in the British contention that the war debts have helped to upset the whole structure of international payments and break down the balance of international trade. These arguments are not disposed of by the Johnson bill.

Significant Declaration.

In advocating modification of the Securities Act, Gov. Black of the Federal Reserve Board has added another reason to the many cogent criticisms already advanced. He says that whether or not the act has a throttling effect upon business, business thinks that it does, and that amounts to the same thing. The cumulative testimony to that effect leaves no doubt of the inhibiting influence of this legislation. The conviction that the act prevents revival of the market for capital issues is so firmly held that even if fears of incurring unsuspected liabilities have been exaggerated—and the evidence is overwhelmingly to the contrary—the law would still prevent new financing.

When a law conflicts with public opinion, Gov. Black rightly believes that it should be modified. His outright declaration in favor of a change is especially significant and important, coming from a staunch supporter of the Administration policies who has shown a desire at all times to cooperate in its policies.

The papers have made fun of us.—Mrs. Ella Boole. Yes; the papers have to take their fun where they find it.

Eskimos make an ice cream of fish oil, snow and sugar, according to an explorer. We wonder what they do with it.

Mile Posts

A Parade of the Past From the Files of The Post.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

SENATOR JOHN SHARP WILLIAMS, of Mississippi, in referring to the party split over the Panama Canal toll exemption repeal said, "The poor, dear, old foolish Democratic party is going through the same game that she can be generally trusted to go through soon after she gets into power. That is what led Speaker Tom Reed to say: 'You can't last long because you are not accustomed to governing anybody or anything; you can not govern the country because you can not govern yourselves. You are incompetent.'"

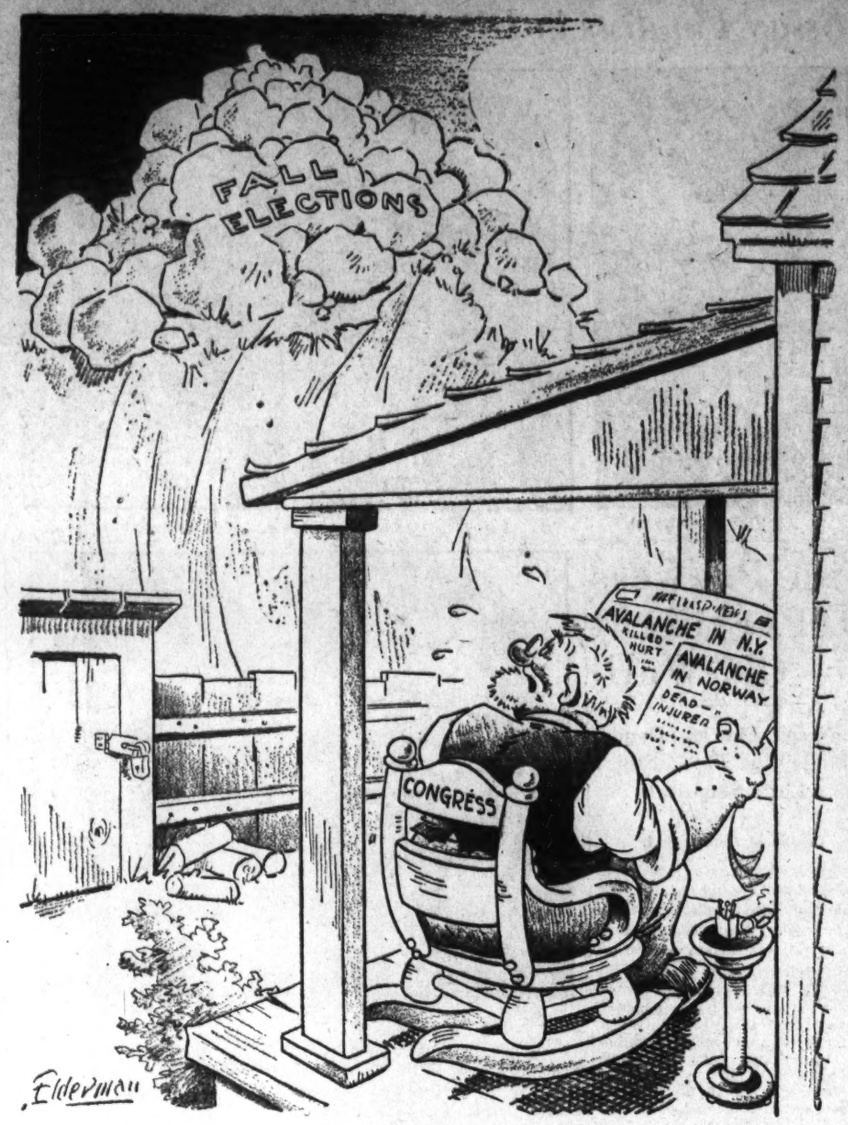
DR. HARVEY W. WILEY said that the National interest in the National Capital should be the controlling consideration in determining the portion of District maintenance to be paid by the Federal Government, and that from this point of view nothing less than a contribution of one-half would be fair.

CHARLES WILSON PEALE'S full-length painting of Washington, which Washington liked so well that he presented it to Louis XVI in appreciation for French help to the American colonies, was sold at auction for $4,000, from the collection of Dr. George Rauling, of Baltimore.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

THE EXPERTS' report on German reparations was made public and some of the proposals and conclusions were: Payments on reparations accounts were fixed on a sliding scale—110,000,000 gold marks in 1926 to 2,500,000,000 gold marks in 1936. Help from abroad was recommended by a loan of 800,000,000 gold marks. The French and Belgiums were permitted to garrison the Ruhr, but were not to interfere with railroads and industries.

THE CHANDLER-BLOOM election contest from the Nineteenth New York district was decided by the House with a vote of 210 to 198 in favor of Sol Bloom (Democrat), over his Republican opponent, Walter M. Chandler.



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Letters to the Editor

The Post welcomes letters from its readers. All communications must be signed with the writer's name and address. Upon publication initials or pen names will be used if requested. Letters over 250 words are subject to condensation.

Veteran's Viewpoint.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: As commander in chief of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, I respectfully request the publication of our views in support of our present demand for immediate cash payment of adjusted service certificates held by World War veterans.

We feel that news dispatches from Washington, D. C., have failed to convey the arguments on both sides of this issue. The columns of your newspaper in recent weeks have been filled with the views of those who are opposed to payment of this acknowledged debt at the present time. In fairness to those subscribers who depend upon The Post as a source of unbiased information, we hope that this communication will be given every possible consideration for publication.

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is giving its wholehearted and aggressive support to adoption of H. R. 1 (the Patman bill) which authorizes immediate cash payment of adjusted service certificates for the following reasons:

The Federal Government will be saved the annual appropriation of $112,000,000 for 12 years or a total of $1,000,000,000.

The Federal Government will be saved approximately $10,000,000 in administration costs of the adjusted compensation act between now and 1945.

It will discharge an obligation to the veteran that has already been acknowledged, without increasing the national debt.

It will give the right to the veteran to deposit his certificate, a Government obligation, in exchange for new currency, a privilege that is now being extended to Federal Reserve banks and all national banks.

The face value of the average outstanding certificate is $1,000. Payment at the present time will prevent the loss through compound interest charges of approximately $500 to every veteran who has been forced to borrow 50 per cent of the loan value.

The method of payment proposed in H. R. 1 will require no bond issue, no increased taxes, no additional interest payments by the Federal Government.

In the general fund of the United States Treasury at the present time, there is a total of $3,126,000,000 in unencumbered gold. This does not include gold owned by the Federal Reserve banks. This gold is sufficient to issue $8,000,000,000 in new currency without reducing the gold reserve to a point lower than the 40 per cent gold basis demanded by law.

With the backing of this gold reserve, all danger of "printing press currency inflation" is eliminated. The bill gives the Federal Government complete control of the currency situation at all times.

Approximately 3,500,000 veterans hold World War adjusted service certificates. They represent approximately 15,000,000 consumers. Purchasing power amounting to $2,500,000,000 will be placed in the hands of these 15,000,000 consumers, a proposal that is directly in line with the present recovery program of the Administration.

Creation of a purchasing power in this fashion will avoid the dangers of graft or favoritism and the building up of huge political pay rolls.

Of these 3,500,000 veterans who hold these certificates, nearly 3,000,000 have been forced to seek 50 per cent loans. These men are naturally in favor of immediate cash payment of the balance due which they stand in danger of losing because of compound interest charges on the money that they have borrowed. The charge that this movement is only supported by a minority among World War veterans is therefore absurd.

JAMES E. VAN ZANDT.
Kansas City, Mo., April 4.

Too Late to Object.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I have been much interested in the Mother's Day stamp proposition. The article in The Post of April 5 has increased my interest. Whistler's portrait is a good suggestion, but why go so far afield. We have a statue of "The Pioneer Mother" in our own Capitol. We are proud of our pioneer ancestry, at least I hope we are, so why not take the stamp from that statue? If the carnations must be in evidence, lay a bouquet at the base of the statue on the stamp. "The Pioneer Mother" is carrying her flowers in her arms. MRS JONES.
Washington, April 7.

"As Seven Voted."

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Referring to your editorial "As Seven Voted" in a recent issue of The Post, permit me to commend these wise men for their courage in being true to themselves, their country, and their God, regardless of the whirlwind propaganda blowing around them, like the heroic and alluring "Fight to Save Democracy, Civilization," &c., all produced by our war profiteers, who in their greed did not then realize they were forcing open Pandora's box, which afflicted the world with evils from which it is still suffering. We as a nation will continue to pay a very heavy tribute for the next 100 years for the greatest blunder in our history.

May the Senators and Representatives who fought so bravely for their convictions live long and enjoy the fruits of their wisdom and some day stand on the highest pedestal of the Nation.

RICHARD J. PAHNKE,
Washington, April 7.

More on the Securities Act.

Retarding Recovery

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: In reference to the statement by Chairman Rayburn of the House Committee to the effect that it was not because of the securities act that the sale of securities was prevented, but that it was due to the lack of a market, I infer he means to a lack of demand for securities.

In my 34 years of investment banking experience I have never known of a time when the clients of my firm had so much cash in bank available for investment as they have today, nor have I ever known of a time when so many investors are voluntarily asking for recommendations for the employment of their funds.

My firm is in very frequent contact with other investment houses in practically every State of the Union, and it is my considered belief that the same condition exists throughout the country, which justifies my belief that investment bankers, if unrestricted by the impossible provisions of the securities act, would be able to supply an enormous amount of capital funds to railroads, utilities and industrials.

The annual income of the people of the United States, plus their normal savings and maturing obligations are so greatly in excess of possible Government financing that money must continue to pile up in the banks unless private financing is resumed. Recovery in this country will be seriously retarded until these funds can be used by industry.

In the effort to regulate all for the excesses of a few, the result may be the complete destruction of an investment banking organization absolutely essential to the continuance of the capitalistic policies of the United States which, in a large measure, have been responsible in this country for the highest standard of living in the world.

After the tremendous decline in securities' prices during the past three years and the disclosures of very discreditable practices by a few prominent executives of banks and by a few investment firms, the temper of the people was such that the Administration insisted upon the passage of a securities act.

Congress needed no urging, but in their desire to stamp out practices which had shocked the entire Nation, they passed the securities act of 1933 and blinded their eyes to the adverse effect upon the industrial condition of the United States, which was clearly pointed out to them by numbers of clear thinking people.

Fortunately, there are not many understanding people who still cling to Chairman Rayburn's opinion, and it is being realized more and more that the bill must be greatly modified if recovery is to be brought about. It is questionable, however, if the mistake of passing the securities act in its present form will be taken as a lesson by the small, but influential, group which is apparently responsible for such measures, for they are doing their utmost to pass a stock exchange bill in such form as to add infinitely greater damage to the country at large than was done by the ill-conceived securities act. Yours very truly,

JOHN C. LEGG, Jr.,
MacKubbin, Legg & Co., Bankers.
Baltimore, April 5.

"Fundamentally Wrong."

To the Editor of the Post—Sir: It seems to me that from the standpoint of a buyer of securities and that is where my own concern lies, the principal evil of the act is the fact that it destroys the free and ordinary and essential operation of trade. For instance, I may ask a dealer in securities for his honest comment or advice, or for information concerning a certain security. If this dealer prizes his reputation and his future business he will answer me to the best of his ability. Under the present circumstances a dealer is not in a position to give a fair and honest statement representing his best judgment.

Any law that makes it impossible for a man to give his free and honest opinion is fundamentally worng.

Very truly yours,

CHASE M. SMITH,
Counsel, Lumberman's Mutual Casualty Co.
Chicago, April 6.

A Nebraska Viewpoint.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I consider that the securities act interferes with the scale of new securities necessary to the recovery of industry, especially in the capital goods branches. E. F. HOWE,
President, Fairmont Creamery Co., Omaha, Nebr., April 7.

Aided Unemployment.

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The stringent provisions of security legislation pending in Congress would be disastrous to every small business. Here is an authentic case which I instanced of a Washington business man who conducts a successful firm in this city, has a fine balance sheet, but required a sum sufficient to expand his business by the addition of 38 employes in the offices. He required $50,000 for the expansion, which he proposed to raise in New York City, through certain brokers who had on prior occasions floated his issues. He visited 15 different houses in New York, who had formerly solicited his issues, but they all gave the same refusal and reasons—the danger of pending legislation in Congress.

JOSEPH J. WOOD.
Takoma Park, Md., April 6.

The Post Impressionist

"Any Old Thing."

Postoffice, Tuesday.

We heard them, my friend and I, as we passed. They had paused on the Capitol steps and were discussing the rotunda pictures. The young man hesitatingly confessed that he rather liked John Trumbull's. His girl companion, slightly younger, didn't.

"Oh," she declared, "the whole lot are Victorian, and Trumbull especially!"

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As we passed on, our friend at first tried to justify her, for she was very pretty. "Probably," he submitted, "she was thinking about the artist's manner and not his date."

We said: "Possibly, not probably."

"But," came protest at last, "Trumbull was born in Colonial days. He was a Connecticut Yankee. He had about 81 years of American life while three Georges and a William were reigning in England—only about six years while Victoria was a British queen, and she reigned 64 years, didn't she? Trumbull died while Tyler was President. I'm afraid that girl hasn't read her art-history."

"Maybe not—or maybe she doesn't care."

"Well, unless the excuse I offered for her is correct, she's wrong."

"No," we contested, "you're wrong. She's right."

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That is, the girl was right if current misuse makes right—and, with words, it generally ends by doing so. Either this or else a good many of our popular mental-elevators are as badly in error as she seemed to my critical friend.

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Take John Kennedy.

Mr. Kennedy is a radio ornament justly admired by thousands of inlisteners, who learn about opera from him. The radio gives or reports an opera—"gives" or "reports," whichever is the better word. Mr. Kennedy, between the acts, tells his air listeners what it's all about. He explains the score and the plot, sketches the composer's life and theories, and throws in a great deal of other valuable information besides.

A bit ago, he was instructing his hearers in the mysteries of Metropolitan costumes and "props"—the clothes and the furniture and what not that the great New York opera house must keep on hand for use in its regular productions. There had to be, he said, props and costumes of nearly every period, all the way from Ancient Egypt, as in the case of "Aida," down to the Victorian, as in the case of "Manon."

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However:

English Queen Victoria was called out of bed to take a throne in 1837. French Antoine Prevost—by turns, Jesuit, soldier and Benedictine—wrote the story of "Manon" 107 years before the awakened Victoria's pink toes got into her slippers. "Les Aventures du Chevalier des Grieux et de Manon Lescaut" was the title of the original Paris edition—which, by the way, was banned—and its "period" was the Eighteenth Century.

Four composers, none of them a subject of Victoria, have used "Manon" for their music. They were the Frenchmen Halevy, Auber and Massenet and the Italian Puccini. The theatrical costuming and properties have always, so far as we have ever heard, been those of the seventeenth century.

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But Mr. Kennedy is in excellent company. The painstaking Percy Hutchison, of the New York Times, appeared recently to imply that he considered Goldsmith—who went to his soon-forgotten grave in 1774—as meriting the Victorian adjective, and spoke of Shelley as a Victorian, although the Mediterranean waters closed over Shelley's head in 1822.

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The same tendency is invading the musical field from the fields of painting and writing and philosophy. In music, however, the more specific "Late Nineteenth Century" replaces "Victorian."

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You will remember Walter Giesseking's publicity-agent announced which grouped the interpreted compositions into periods. Mr. Giesseking's publicity agent announced one of these concerts as consisting of a program of works by "late Nineteenth Century Romantics." It included colorist De Bussy, born in 1862 and surviving the century at one end; into the other end it scooped George Sand's "poor little Chopin," who died in 1849.

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"They get around the whole period question nicely in Italy," said our critical friend. "There they substitute places for periods, except, of course, when they begin renaissance-ing. Take their furniture, for instance. The English talk about Tudor chests and Jacobean tables. We Americans have our Colonial and Civil War furniture. But the Italians, who have the sense not to alter the style of their furniture too frequently—or any of their other styles, bar their political styles, for that matter—speak of a bed as Venetian, a chair as Florentine.

"Victorian, indeed! Why, from what you intimate, I gather that most people divide all history into three 'periods:' Ancient, Elizabethan and Victorian. A character wrapped in a sheet is 'Ancient,' a character with thigh-stockings is Elizabethan, and any other character that isn't dressed for 1934 is 'Victorian!'"

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But our friend is only partly right, even there. In fact, the dictionary, too, is only partly right when it defines "Victorian" thus: "Of or pertaining to the reign of Queen Victoria of England." We asked another friend about it, who is a better authority because she is very much of the present age. She said:

"What's 'Victorian?' Why any old thing—any old thing—if you don't like it."

Along the Potomac

With

Carlisle Bargeron

GOOD MORNING, ladies and gentlemen of the radio audience. We again present to you Mrs. Diebenkorper, who will talk on her favorite subject, "Our Government, Your Government and Mine." Mrs. Diebenkorper:

Good morning, my friends. Our government, your government and mine, has just worked out one of the gravest problems with which it has been confronted. The obstacles before us in this instance were so stupendous that I venture to say, had it been any other government than our government, your government and mine, the task would have been given up ere any solution had been found.

BARGERON.

But it is in the nature of us who make the sacrifice for you, year in and year out, to persevere until we get the truth.

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In this particular case I can not too highly praise our servant, the servant of our government, your government and mine, the great, good Gen. Johnson, whom so many of us affectionately term Crack-Down. It was his zeal, his personality, his utter tirelessness that brought us the success of which we all may be so proud.

What we were up against, my friends, our government, your government and mine, was the stubbornness of the country's retailers against profits. They had set their faces against profits and profits we thought we would never get them to take. It was a foolhardy patriotism and a misconception of the New Deal.

I suppose that the fault might lie with our President, Mr. Roosevelt, though I do not want to be taken as criticizing him in the slightest. He has so much to do and we, who are doing our part for our government, your government and mine, often wish that he would let us do more. That is the spirit of us workers.

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Mr. Roosevelt at the outset of his Administration said that henceforth service must be the motive of business in this country, rather than profit. As so often is the case with such a popular leader, the retailers took his words too literally. They refused to take any profits at all. One by one they went in for service at cost or in many instances for service at a loss. All they wanted to do was serve. Our retailers have, as a matter of fact, always been averse to profits, they have always wanted to be in business for the love of it, and for the inspired leadership of our President they now definitely turned against them.

Our great and good Gen. Johnson, whom we effectionately term Crack-Down, saw at the outset that this would never do. So with his forceful and aggressive personality he directed that provisions be placed in the codes making it unlawful to sell below cost.

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But as we closely studied our charts and graphs here, charts and graphs by which our Government, your Government and mine, registers the most minute movements of the people, we soon realized that even this was not enough to make the retailers take profits. To conform to the codes they could not sell below the cost of the goods to them. But they refused to add to this their labor cost. They just wouldn't do it, so abhorrent were profits to them.

It was rank subterfuge as we very easily determined by mixing two grains of the profit motive with three parts of code provisions. It was subversive of good government. Had our Government, your Government and mine, permitted the evasion to continue we would have soon had such a disrespect for law as attended our prohibition amendment. It was all very well for the retailers to talk about freedom and liberty. As the attractive Prof. Tugwell has so well said, we must discipline ourselves for the good of the whole. If we have a right to arrest a gun-toting man then certainly we have the right, that is, our Government has your Government and mine, to make a retailer take profits.

Well, our great and good Gen. Johnson, whom we affectionately term Crack-Down, put himself to the solution of this problem. And to say that he undertakes a problem means that a solution will be reached.

The result is that our Government, your Government and mine, has now decreed that the retailers must add 10 per cent to the cost of the goods to them, this to cover the labor. If this fails, our Government, your Government and mine, intends to ram profits down their throats.

Warren Will Control Corn, Hog Production

Front Royal, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—A permanent corn and hog production control committee for Warren County has been organized with the following officers: President, J. A. Trenary; vice president, B. S. Atwood; secretary, D. M. Cloyd; treasurer, R. L. Leach, jr.

The allotment committee which will pass on applications for cooperation in the program is J. A. Trenary, chairman; George L. Willson and J. B. Baldwin.

Two Hurt, One Held After Auto Collision

Kingwood, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Resulting from an automobile crash at a highway junction in East Kingwood last night, Mrs. Floyd Devall, 19, and Dewey Moore, 35, both of Albright, were hospital patients today, and Fred Everly, 22, Reedsville, was in jail awaiting the outcome of their injuries.

Indications are that Everly's car was on the wrong side of the road, State police declared.

Cooper Denies Guilt To Horse Dope Charges

Miami, Fla., April 9 (AP).—Harry R. Cooper, race horse owner and trainer, indicted March 16 by a Federal grand jury for illegal possession of narcotics, pleaded not guilty when arraigned today. His trial was set for April 23.

Following Cooper's arrest by State and Federal agents, the Florida Racing Commission permanently barred him from the State tracks for alleged stimulation of horses at Tropical Park here.

Authorities reported more than 100 grains of narcotics, hypodermic needles and alleged formulas for doping horses were found in Cooper's home.

Since his arrest Cooper has been at liberty on bonds covering State and Federal narcotic charges and one required by immigration officials who are investigating his entry into the United States from Canada.

Takoma Northern Meets.

Takoma Northern A. C. baseball team will meet tonight at the fire house at 7:30. For games call Manager Meyers at ADams 4821.

12,000 Miners Are Still Out Near Fairmont

Logan Strike Is Settled but Northern Fields Await D. C. Parley.

Logan, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—While 7,000 striking coal miners returned to work in the Logan field today, upward of 12,000 continued on strike in the northern West Virginia field, awaiting results of a conference by operators, union representatives and NRA officials in Washington.

J. W. Colley, secretary of the Logan Coal Operators Association, stated all mines in that field resumed operations today with normal working forces. The strikers were persuaded to return through overtures of representatives of the Federal Department of Labor and special emissaries of the United Mine Workers of America on the understanding that their work would be under the Appalachian coal agreement recently signed in Washington.

Pickets continued on duty at the various mining plants of the northern field today and no violence was reported. While State police patrolled other mining plants, Marion County deputy sheriffs centered their attention on the Jordan plant of the Consolidation Coal Co., where they were called on to disband a large crowd of strikers last night.

Pickets had interfered with the operation of a Monongahelia River ferry which transports miners from the east side of the river to the mine. The officers also escorted a fire boss. Pickets are said to have molested a mine shaft.

Fairmont Zone.

Operators have insisted that in order to keep the mines working on anything like a normal basis, the wage differential over the Pittsburgh field would have to be included in the final settlement, in order to offset the freight differential enjoyed by the Pittsburgh district over the local field. Union officials insisted wages must go up to cope with increasing living costs. Both sides indicated that any compromise would be improbable.

Bristol Tuberculosis Association Lauded

Bristol, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Bristol's tuberculosis association has made more progress than any other in Virginia, considering it was organized only last year, Miss Leslie Combs Foster, executive secretary of the State association, has stated.

A 100 per cent increase in Christmas seal sales here for 1933 over 1932 figured in eliciting this praise from Miss Foster, George E. Comer, president of the local association, said today.

5 Days—40 Cents a Pair Court's Price for Socks

Waynesboro, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—New spring socks which J. M. Fitzgerald wanted for nothing proved very costly.

Judge A. C. Kimler in city police court, penalized him 60 days in jail and costs of $5 for taking 10 pairs of socks from a five and ten cent store. This brought the cost of each pair to five days' time and 40 cents in cash.

Former Washingtonian Held in Auto Death

Harrisonburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Robert Dessez, 20, formerly of 1823 Massachusetts avenue southeast, Washington, D. C., was held tonight for questioning in connection with the death of Howard Custer, 24, killed Sunday in Brocks Gap, when Dessez's automobile overturned.

Dessez is a brother-in-law of the victim. Dessez and Harry Custer were uninjured.

Pupils to Visit Capital.

Lynchburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Ninety pupils of the E. C. Glass High School here will spend the coming week-end in Washington on a sight-seeing trip, in charge of R. R. Oglesby, head of the civics department.

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips.

ELMER TWITCHELL PROBES A MYSTERY.

("A sword with a steel blade 43 inches long, done in court design, with a handguard of solid gold, and an imperial sash once worn by the Grand Duke Vladimir of Russia, was stolen from a window of a Fifth avenue store, New York, last night."—News item.)

Elmer Twitchell, who prides himself on his ability in untangling strange crime mysteries, took up the hunt at once.

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He was found today studying the description gravely, and promised results inside of 24 hours. "One of the strangest cases in the history of criminology, not to say the history of swords!" he mused.

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"My first impulse was to look for a man who had recently bought a club sandwich on a railroad train," he said, contracting his brows.

"Why did you reject that theory?"

"Not even the sword of the grand duke's own archangelers would suffice for cutting through that," said Elmer.

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"So what?"

"So I considered the possibility of the deed having been done by a distracted movie patron in search of a suitable weapon after having to sit through the same newsreels in three different theaters."

"Did you reject that?"

"Yes. The 43-inch blade would be inadequate in such cases."

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"What was your next theory?"

"I thought of a fellow who had always been frustrated in removing the skin from a baked Idaho potato. I abandoned this theory because a man would get an imperial silk sash all covered with butter in a struggle with a baked potato."

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"So you confess yourself whipped?"

"Whipped, my eye!" thundered Elmer, putting on his hat. "I know the thief this minute."

"Who is it?"

"Some woman who was tired of trying to open a can of beans as directed by the label!" said Elmer, speeding off on a streamline pogo stick.

THOROUGHLY COMPETENT.

The Prince of Wales, it is reported, got out of all Insull stocks before the crash. If that doesn't qualify him for the throne, nothing does.

THE BEST PREOCCUPIED MIND CONTEST.

There is a certain New York banker whose absent-mindedness has long caused his secretary much worry. It has been a frequent occurrence for him to consult his appointments, rush to the given point and then phone in and ask distractedly, "What am I doing here?"

But the payoff came last week when he forgot to keep an important luncheon date, was told of his omission at home the following day, and indignantly phoned his secretary and demanded, "Why wasn't I at the —— luncheon yesterday?"

A former vice president of a defunct New York bank has opened a restaurant. This reverses the old process by which restaurant proprietors used to open banks.

Richard J. Reynolds, 28, came into an inheritance of $25,000,000 from his father's tobacco fortune the other day. The theme song during the formal signing of the necessary papers was "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes."

"Mr. Insull smokes Turkish cigarettes constantly."—Dispatch. He'd better.

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Kilmarnock Garden Club Reelects Officers

Kilmarnock, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Officers were reelected by the Kilmarnock Garden Club at the April meeting. Mrs. A. E. Brent won high score for house plants brought in during the winter, Mrs. L. D. Cottingham taking second.

Officers include Mrs. R. B. Carter, president; Mrs. L. D. Cottingham, vice president; Mrs. Gordon Eubank, secretary, and Mrs. E. M. Blake, treasurer.

Boy, 4, Is Suffering From Rare Disease Hardening Tissues

Richmond, April 9 (Spl.).—A case of scleroderma, nearly as rare as myositis ossiphans, and differing only in that it hardens skin tissues instead of bone, is being treated here.

The victim is 4-year-old James Jones, of Middlesex County. Response to treatment so far has been favorable. The seldom-reported disease is rarely cured.

The skin and tissues about the boy's jaws and arms were first affected, and the hardening process has spread nearly over his entire body. Scleroderma is a progressive disease, which becomes fatal when it reaches the chest.

Slayer of Maryland Woman Held Insane

Norfolk, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Mrs. Nora Lanier, who shot to death Miss Mary Stephens January 28 and then turned the gun on herself, was declared insane by Dr. R. E. Whitehead and Dr. R. W. Woodhouse. She will be sent to the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane at at Marion, Va.

Mrs. Lanier used a shotgun to kill Miss Stephens, for whom she worked on a farm in Princess Anne County. She shot away a part of own face, but is recovering.

Three Held in Robbery.

Lynchburg, April 9 (AP).—Charles Conway, 22; Perry Ketro, 21, and Grover Wall, 23, were under arrest today on a charge of luring William Hall into a railroad yard late Saturday night and robbing him of ring and a watch valued at $69.

The National Gallery

TOM (THOMAS TERRY) CONNALLY, Senator from Texas. Born in McLennan County, Tex., 56 years ago. Educated at Baylor and Texas Universities. Enlisted man, Second Regiment Texas Volunteer Infantry, Spanish-American War. Member of Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Texas legislatures. Prosecuting attorney, Falls County, 1906-1910. Member Sixty-fifth to Seventieth Congresses. Elected U. S. Senator for term beginning 1929. Captain and adjutant, Twenty-second Infantry Brigade, Eleventh Division, U. S. Army, 1918. Caused no little consternation over a year ago when he made first speech on Senate floor advocating revaluation of the gold dollar. Ardent in farm relief, is an aggressive and forceful speaker. Up for reelection this fall. Backed Garner at Chicago. Tall, handsome, affects flowing, black Windsor tie and political haircut. Fervent New Dealer.

The Fable of a Boy and Human Nature at Its Worst

By Robert Quillen

In the capital city of a land far away there lived a great man whom all the people, great and small, called Master.

He was so wise that statesmen came to him for guidance; his knowledge was so great that scientists brought him their problems; he was so just and incorruptible that all factions of the people asked him to settle their disputes.

Despite his greatness, or because of it, he was gentle and unassuming and unfailingly kind.

One day there came to his office a country boy, uncouth and unshorn, whose teeth chattered with fear as he stood at the Master's door.

When the door was opened by the great man himself, for he kept no servants, the country boy dropped to his knees, overcome with awe.

"Master," he cried, "do not send me away until you have heard my plea. I am no more than a clod, unworthy to be trodden under your feet, but my heart is filled with a longing to serve you. I ask for no pay except the crumbs that fall from your table. I shall count it reward enough if I may have the privilege of sweeping your floors and cleaning your shoes."

There was amusement in the Master's eyes, but his heart was moved by such humility.

"Stand up, son," he said kindly. "I am only a man. My needs are few, but you may serve me if you wish."

So the country boy became the servant of his hero. He made himself useful in many ways and outgrew his embarrassment and awkwardness. Within a month he was wearing city clothes and using varnish on his hair.

One day he sat at the great man's desk when a stranger appeared—evidently a foreigner and obviously a man of wealth and importance.

"I have come a great way," said the stranger, "for the honor and privilege of consulting the Master. Is he here?"

The country boy yawned. "You mean old Baldy?" he inquired. "Nope, he's out. Anything I can do for you?"

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Tax Snoopers Hit By Norfolk Bar

Attorney's Accounts Held His Own Business

Norfolk, Va., April 9 (AP).—An attorney's account books are his own private property and the City of Norfolk has no right to insist upon their examination by tax snoopers, is the unanimous opinion of the Norfolk-Portsmouth Bar Association, expressed today in a resolution declaring the city's tax ordinance requiring that the account books of attorneys be thrown open to tax collectors is unconstitutional.

The next time a tax collector demands the right to investigate an attorney's accounts, it was intimated, the matter will be taken into court.

3 Killed, 9 Hurt Is Accident Toll

Series of Mishaps Occur in Charleston Area.

Charleston, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Accidents in the Charleston area today piled up a toll of three killed and nine injured.

Charles Edward Chaffin, 21, of Charleston, nephew of William S. Johnson, former State treasurer, was killed in an automobile collision in which six others were injured.

W. A. Nichols, jr., Charleston chemical engineer, died of injuries suffered in an explosion at the Dupont Ammonia Corporation plant at Belle, in which two others were burned.

Jean Samples, 18, of Clay, was crushed to death, and Roy Walker, 17, of Elkhurst, was critically injured in the derailment of a coal car on the Buffalo Creek & Gauley River Railroad.

Cape Charles Refuge Harbor Survey Asked

Representative Bland (Democrat), Virginia, introduced a bill yesterday to authorize an examination and survey of the waters connecting Cherrystone Channel with Cape Charles, Va., with a view to establishing a harbor of refuge at Cape Charles, with a minimum depth of 10 feet, the Associated Press reports.

Uncle Now Faces Charge of Murder

But Brother of Victim Is Held as Witness.

Staunton, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Responsibility for the slaying of Wingfield Scott McDorman, 24, Augusta County resident, today was shifted by authorities from Frank McDorman, a brother, to Elmer Shiflett, an uncle.

Frank McDorman and his wife were arrested as suspects yesterday, but subsequent investigation led officers to arrest Shiflett, at whose home a free-for-all fight occurred Saturday during which Wingfield McDorman was killed, police believe, by a blow from a brick. The warrant charges that Shiflett killed his nephew.

Another warrant alleges that Frank and Helen McDorman witnessed the slaying. The date for a preliminary hearing has not been fixed. All three are in jail here. The slain man was buried today.

Virginia Y.W.C.A. Ends Newport News Meeting

Newport News, Va., April 9 (AP).—Addresses by E. J. Robeson, jr., personnel director of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Co., and Alexander H. Wornom, senior in the Shipyard Apprentice School and captain of the school football team last year, featured the concluding session here yesterday of the annual Virginia State Y. M. C. A. convention.

$98,735 Paid by CWA On Tazewell Pay Roll

Tazewell, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—During the 15 weeks of CWA operation in Tazewell County, 3,901 men were registered in the re-employment offices, of whom 1,723 were given work.

The pay roll totaled $98,735.61; materials and supplies cost $29,052.73, and local contributions of material and services amounted to $28,025.62.

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William Lyon Phelps

Daily Talk About Books and Authors.

Chosen Poems of Thomas Hardy.

It is a pleasure to call general attention to a pocket-volume edition of selected poems from Thomas Hardy; this is the latest issue in the Golden Treasury Series, which began more than 50 years ago with Palgrave's Golden Treasury—still the best anthology of short lyrical English poems.

Thomas Hardy had a towering reputation as a novelist before he published any verse. He was born in 1840, became a professional architect, and in 1871 produced his first novel, "Desperate Remedies." This did not attract much attention, but when, three years later, came "Far from the Madding Crowd," he took the place he will always keep, as one of the great British writers of prose fiction. He continued to write novels until 1895—his career lasting exactly 25 years.

Then in 1898 he astonished the literary world by publishing a volume called "Wessex Poems," with drawing made by himself; and I wish he had continued to illustrate his books, as these drawings are admirable, but he never did it again. Another volume of lyrics appeared a few years later, and then in 1904 came the first of three books of his original Napoleonic drama, "The Dynasts" (usually pronounced in England "Dinnasts"). Old age, which so often smothers or weakens the flame of creative poetry, only seemed to strengthen his own. He died in his eighty-eighth year, with a final volume of poems all ready for the press. It seems that he had been composing verse all his life, although he was nearly 60 when he began printing it.

It is almost a unique instance, of a man who had attained a world-wide reputation as a novelist, then beginning, when nearly 60, to produce verse, and actually enjoying a longer period of productivity in the new medium. For his prose period lasted 25 years, and his poetic career 30. There is no doubt that he greatly preferred to be known as a poet; he thought his poems more important and also more expressive of his own personality.

His poems are primarily interesting because he had so interesting a mind; his observations and reflections are always original and often deeply affecting. Sometimes he writes about himself; after mentioning the critics, social invitations, the swarm of American tourists who pestered his privacy (I was one); he tells us what he really thought about it all.

Attentive eyes, fantastic heed,
Assessing minds, he does not need,
Nor urgent writs to sup or dine,
Nor pledges in the rosy wine,
For loud acclaim he does not care,
By the august or rich or fair,
Nor for smart pilgrims from afar,
Curious on where his hauntings are.
But soon or later, when you hear
That he has doffed this wrinkled gear,
Some evening, at the first starray,
Come to his graveside, pause and say:
"Whatever his message—glad or grim—
Two bright-souled women clave to him;"
Stand and say that while day decays;
It will be word enough of praise.

Tomorrow—"The Fountain."

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Board Studies Rail Plan to Shift Runs

Richmond, April 9 (AP).—The State Corporation Commission today took under advisement an application from the Virginia Railway for permission to rearrange its schedules in order to provide through train connections from Norfolk to Charleston, W. Va., via Roanoke.

The proposed change would shift the starting time of two trains, Nos. 3 and 4—westbound and eastbound, respectively. No. 3, instead of leaving Norfolk at 9:45 a. m., would leave at 7 a. m. Its arrival time at Roanoke would be changed from 5:30 p. m. to 2:15 p. m.

Mrs. M. C. Monroe Dies at Purcellville

Funeral Is Scheduled for 3 P. M. Today.

Purcellville, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Mrs. Mamie Chamblin Monroe, 73, widow of Eugene Monroe, died at her home here today.

Before her long illness she was active in church and club work and a member of the Bethany Methodist Church. Two sons and two daughters survive her, Dr. Roger Monroe, of Richmond; Dr. John Monroe, of Arlington County; Mrs. P. A. Warner, of Hamilton, and Miss Louise Monroe, of Purcellville. Funeral service will be held at the residence tomorrow at 3 p. m., with burial at Ebenezer.

Students Forsake Congress for Zoo, But Regret Change

Strasburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Harry Brill and James Funkhouser, Strasburg civics students, believe it's more profitable to watch the antics in Congress than those in Washington's Zoological Park.

Harry and James accompanied their classmates to Washington Saturday for a study of Congress in action. Tiring of watching the legislators on "The Hill" make laws, the pair hied themselves to the Zoo.

Meanwhile, Principal C. W. Garner departed for Strasburg with the class and left the two boys behind. They arrived yesterday, footsore and weary.

"This thumbing business isn't so hot," they stated. "Hereafter we'll stick to Congress."

No End of Books

By

Theodore Hall

DON'T let anybody tell you that reading takes the stingo out of travel I know different.

Here I'd been sending these tired eyes down page after page of travelers' tales, until I could report the color of an Araguayan's earrings and how a M'Curry Curry boy—who is not Hibernian but African—says "Mamma." Then, for the first time since Hector was a pup, I piled up the books in a corner, packed my bag and journeyed forth. It was, to be sure, no more far-flung an expedition than a week-end in Baltimore. But if Thoreau saw the heavens and earth and all that in them is, from the vantage of Concord and a 10-mile radius, then surely I may say that I have been traveling. I feel like three other people, as the phrase goes.

THEO. HALL.

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Which is curious, because it turned out to be something of a busman's holiday. Of course, on the other hand, there were the two conchologists, gentlemen who wander over the earth looking for land-shells. Snails, who provide these desired relics, are odd creatures. It seems that in Cuba the color varieties live much to themselves on the mountains, in areas bounded by "contour lines." Here, for example, is a yellow one. Ten feet uphill is a red; ten feet downhill a brown. No graduations. But in Hawaii the snails get mixed. I should like to be able to say what this means, but I lost the point.

Yet that point is important. It sent one of the gentlemen across Siberia alone—a year and a half of peering at the sides of fallen trees. Bearded and taciturn, he answered a question of locality by saying that a certain spot was halfway between Calcutta and the Arctic Circle. That was no evasion. That was the best which could be done with those wild wastes.

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But busman's holiday it was. My hosts were persons of that rare and laudable tact to leave one alone occasionally. Perhaps they thought I felt homesick for a little reading. Astonishingly I did.

First at hand was the fourth volume of Mark Sullivan's "Our Times," which dealt with the years before 1914. Advertising's coming of age. The rise of the efficiency engineers, led by the great Taylor—a drawing in life showed a young couple whose embrace was interrupted by third comer; "Young man," he says, "you wasted 14 motions when taking that kiss." Bryan. Ford's $5 day. A hundred and one topics which looked into every corner of the country. It set me to wondering if Mr. Sullivan ever wakes up in the night and thinks of an item he might have put in a volume written five years ago.

Then there was the Atlantic Monthly. James Norman Hall, whose style exudes quotations like a pine tree does resin and stands up manfully notwithstanding, tells of a trip to Pitcairn Island, where live 208 direct descendants of those mutineers of the Bounty who landed in 1790. Grand reading. Alan Devoe points out that despicable racket, the fly-by-night "literary syndicate" which will criticize and encourage, for a price, the pathetic manuscripts of amateurs whose talent is to say the least insufficient for this world. But it was when I found Glanville Smith writing of life in the Minnesota woods in a style straight from Gertrude Stein that I laid the magazine down. Laid it down so I could laugh more easily.

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How or why, when my host and hostess came in, we got into a discussion of a late middle-English poem, I don't know. I was pretty appalled. But it came out of Walter de la Mare's much-admired anthology, "Come Hither," and told of the miracle of a capon's crowing in Herod's kitchen at the birth of Christ. My host and I, who are easily led astray, argued this as a matter of ornithology. Can a capon crow? We were going at it hammer and tongs when my hostess, who has a sharper observation, remarked with deceptive mildness: "Has it anything to do with the miracle that the capon was already dressed and cooked?"

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Even on the bouncing back seat of my host's car, an unmatchable antiquity which he calls "the Old Lady," there was no respite from reading as he careened me homeward at something better than 55. "Goblin's Market," a long fanciful poem by Christina Rossetti in the Arthur Rackham illustrated edition, joggled with me. The pictures were handsome, the type large. I got as far as the scene where the goblins come out of the woods and offer magic fruit to the heroine, which she eats greedily, when I came upon a line which seems to mark a memorable low in poetry. To show the girl's avidity over a peach, Miss Rossetti wrote: "She sucked until her lips were sore," which calls only for camphor ice.

To occupy my mind the rest of the way home there was that inspired line, the duty of looking out the back window for motorcycle cops, and a blithe remark of my unpausing host that the steering wheel was coming loose.

Coupon Books Are Held Illegal Under Sales Tax

Meal Tickets Also Attacked by W. Va. Revenue Commissioner.

Clarksburg, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Fred L. Fox, State tax commissioner, declared coupon books and meal tickets are illegal under the new State 2 per cent consumers' sales tax, in an address before the second annual convention of the West Virginia Association of Retail Grocers here today.

The tickets and coupons, Fox declared, are direct evasion of the law. Many stores and restaurants have adopted them. A tax must be collected upon each transaction, he said, and a transaction consists of a trip to a store, the purchase of merchandise and cash payment for the amount of the whole transaction or its entry upon credit books. Nor can the tax be charged as 2 per cent of a total bill at the end of a month, Fox stated, but must be computed for each transaction, except in purchases of milk and ice regularly delivered.

The tax commissioner also declared that merchants in border cities must charge the sales tax to customers from other States, excepting when delivery and payment are made in those States, which actions make the transactions interstate commerce.

Another speaker today was Hector Lazo, of Washington, assistant to the chairman of the National Food and Grocery Distributors Code Authority.

"The codes must be all right," Lazo said, "for nobody seems entirely satisfied with them. One of the biggest results which we expect from the grocers' code," he continued, "is the elimination of cut price competition. We have not only cut prices in the past, but have cut each others' throats. Business must strike an equitable balance."

George W. Reeves, of Charleston, State president, is presiding at the convention which is attended by 1,000 or more delegates from all parts of the State, and will continue until tomorrow night.

3 Tax Sales Made From 184 Offered

Frederick, Md., April 9 (Spl.).—Three pieces of property from a delinquent tax list of 184 offered for sale were sold at public auction in front of the courthouse today for taxes due.

Previous owners of the purchased properties have the right to redeem them within two years for the sale price plus 10 per cent redemption fees.

The 181 properties on which no bids were offered were turned back to the treasurer's office as retaining their status of delinquency in taxes.

Last year 162 properties were offered and 3 sold; in 1932, 4 were sold out of 79 offered; in 1931 there were 14 offered and 3 sold. Only about a dozen persons attended the sale. About 200 people whose property was to have been offered for sale paid their taxes an hour or two before the sale started.

Fall From Wagon Kills Martinsburg Farmer

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Believed to have been jostled from his seat when a wagon hit a post at his farm near here today, J. F. Hovermale, 63, farmer and dairyman, was killed. His neck was broken.

The tragedy was discovered by Mrs. Hovermale. An acting coroner ruled an inquest was unnecessary.

The widow and several daughters survive.

Falmouth Revival Slated.

Falmouth, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Dr. Harry Jeter Goodwin, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Suffolk, will assist the Rev. P. H. Clements at revival services for Falmouth Baptist Church, beginning April 22.

Marylanders Open Conservation Week

Pupils Urged to Save Wild Life and Flowers.

Baltimore, April 9 (Spl.).—Observance of conservation week began today in all the schools of Maryland, by special proclamation of Gov. Ritchie.

Special ceremonies will be held in the schools Friday, designed as Arbor and Bird Day. In most communities the celebrations are being held under auspices of the Federated Garden Clubs of Maryland and the State conservation commission.

Members of the garden clubs are visiting schools and are to address the pupils on conservation of flowers and wild life.

Bank Code Studied By Virginia Group

Richmond, April 9 (AP).—The Virginia NRA bankers' committee will make a few broad recommendations regarding code regulations to banks throughout the State, but will leave most matters to the different localities, Warren M. Goddard, Richmond member of the committee, said yesterday.

Following a meeting of the committee here over the week-end, Mr. Goddard said it would divulge its decisions later in recommendations to banks.

Each locality then will proceed to draw up its own code suited to local conditions, he said. The code of fair trade practices relates to service charges imposed upon the public for services rendered by banks. A previous code was rejected by Gen. Hugh S. Johnson, head of the NRA.

$15,000 Child Health Drive Half Completed

Two Cottages Donated for Underprivileged Children's Camp.

With two children's cottages donated and the Central Union Mission's drive for $15,000 well past the halfway mark, Washington's underprivileged children yesterday seemed assured of a sizable health camp next summer.

Contributions totaling $8,921 were reported in cash and pledges at the mission's first meeting in the Y. W. C. A. The report was incomplete, as many of the 40 team captains were unable to attend the rally. Enough money is on hand, E. H. Degroot, jr., announced, to start building some of the camp units on the mission's farm in Maryland.

A late $500 donation from L. E. Breuninger was split between the five women's groups, and the women's total was $2,736, while the men raised $2,186. Special gifts of $4,000 were reported.

Two gifts of $1,500 each came from the directors of the former Bruen Home for Children and from Miss Mary B. Adams. Each will pay for a separate dormitory unit for 24 children.

Mrs. William F. Ham, formerly president of the board of the Bruen Home, presented Mrs. Bennett with the check for $1,500 and asked that the cottage be named in memory of Mrs. Elizabeth K. Fleck, for nearly 35 years matron of the home. Other members of the old board of directors who were present were Mrs. LaVerne Beales and Mrs. Helen G. Durfee.

The other cottage will be named for Miss Adams.

The campaign will continue in the hope of reaching the quota by April 16.

Ship Movements

At New York.

Arrived Yesterday.

Atonia, from Liverpool.
Statendam, from Rotterdam.

Sail Today.

Alaska, for Barcelona.
Examiner, for Constanza.
Trautenfels, for Cape Town.
West Kebar, for Freetown.

Sail Tomorrow.

Aquitania, for Southampton.
Berlin, for Hamburg.
Statendam, for Rotterdam.
Stavangerfjord, for Oslo.
Washington, for Hamburg.

Reported by Radio.

Aquitania, from Mediterranean cruise; due at pier 54, North River, today.
Ile de France, from Havre; due at pier 57, North River, today.
Majestic, from Southampton; due at pier 59, North River, today.
President Hayes, from world cruise; due at Twelfth street, Jersey City, today.

At Baltimore.

Sails Tomorrow.

City of Hamburg, for Havre.

Band Concerts.

United States Marine Band.

Auditorium, Marine Barracks, 11:30 a. m.
Marines' hymn, "The Halls of Monezuma."
March, "Old Comrades" ..... Teike
Overture, "A Calm Sea and a Happy Voyage" ..... Mendelssohn
Cornet solo, "Serenade" ..... Schubert
Musician John P. White.
Grand scenes from "The Trumpeter of Sackingen" ..... Nessler
Serenade, "Les Millions d'Arlequin." ..... Drigo
Bassoon solo, "Charlie Is My Darling." ..... Winterbottom
Musician Emil Grasser.
"Album Leaf" ..... Wagner
"Spring Song" ..... Mendelssohn
Descriptive, "Gypsy Life" ..... Le Thiere
Hymn, "Blessed Be the Tie That Binds."
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

U. S. Soldiers' Home Band Orchestra, Stanley Hall, 5:30 p. m.

March, "La Pere de Victore" (Father of Victory) ..... Gano
Overture, "Preciosa" ..... Von Weber
Intermezzo:
(a) "A Scotch Lullabye" ..... Kunits
(b) "Dreaming" ..... Richard Strauss
Excerpts from musical comedy, "Sweet Adeline" ..... Kern
Characteristic, "Dance of the Maniacs." ..... Castillo
Waltz suite, "Espana" (request.) ..... Waldteufel
Finale, "Hoch Hapsburgh" ..... Kral
"The Star-Spangled Banner."

BLACKIE BEAR

By D. SAM COX

Rover Dog Takes a High Dive.

When Blackie came up to Dr. Coon's house late one afternoon, Dr. Coon was sitting down by his tree smoking his pipe and looking mighty happy. "Howdy, Doctor," said Blackie, "Jay Bird said you wanted me to come over to see you, but he didn't say what you wanted and I was afraid yau were sick."

"No, I'm not sick," said Dr. Coon. "I never felt better in my life, but I am going to feel better before long. Billie Possum and Jocko Monkey are down at the spring fixing some mighty good medicine for well folks. Don't you smell it?"

Blackie sniffed a time or two and then he said, "If my nose isn't fooling me, that medicine has got some barbecued pig in it, and I reckon its good for what ails me, too. Where did you get it, Doctor?"

Regular Banquet.

"Never mind where I got it, King Blackie. But I will tell you this: It's the fattest pig you ever saw, and it's going to taste mighty good, along with that persimmon pear that Jocko Monkey got from Mr. Man's house."

And now Billie Possum yelled, "Come to dinner." There wasn't any need for a "second call for dinner" as the people do in the dining cars, for both Blackie Bear and Doctor Coon dashed to the table just like they hadn't had anything to eat for a week.

Well, there's no use telling you much about the dinner, except that it was a mighty good one; but somehow it seems that something always has to break in on the pleasures of the creek folks. And now, just as they had finished the last bit of pig, Doctor Coon said, "Hush!" Listen!"

Yes, sure enough that was Rover Dog barking, and he was coming nearer and nearer. Dr. Coon jumped to his tree and ran up to his house and all the others struck out for their homes. But Rover Dog kept on coming and he was running so fast that Blackie knew he couldn't keep ahead very long, and told Jocko Monkey so, and started to climb a high tree.

Log Trick Works.

Then Jocko said, "Let's have some fun, Blackie, and see Mr. Dog get wet. There's a log across the creek just a little way ahead, and if you will run across it Rover Dog will follow your tracks. Then you climb a tree and watch me fix Rover Dog."

Then Jocko got a long bamboo vine and tied one end of it on one end of the log and then ran it along on top of the log to the other side of the creek. Then he took that end of the vine and climbed a tree.

Along comes Rover Dog and starts to follow Blackie's tracks across the log. Of course, he was right straddle of the bamboo vine, and when he got about half way across, and right over the deepest spot, Jocko Monkey jerked the vine and raised Rover Dog high in the air and threw him "kerchug" down into the cold water.

It was all Blackie could do to keep from giving a regular "woof" yell, but he kept quiet till Rover Dog had crawled out on the other side of the creek and started for home. Then Blackie came down from his tree and rolled over on the ground and laughed till his sides ached. And he never has quit telling his friends what a smart trick Jocko Monkey played on Rover Dog.

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Plane Victim Buried In Arlington Rites

Lieut. J. Leland McAllister, of McCormick, S. C., who was killed last week in an airplane accident in Pennsylvania, was buried yesterday in Arlington National Cemetery.

Lieut. McAllister was the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McAllister, of McCormick, who came here for the funeral.

Wisconsin Society's Banquet Tomorrow

The Wisconsin State Society will hold its annual banquet tomorrow night at the Kennedy-Warren at 7:30, with many distinguished natives in attendance.

Former Senator John J. Blaine, John J. Esch, Ralph E. Smith, a former president of the society, will attend. Other Wisconsin residents expected are Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh, Dean and Mrs. W. C. Ruediger, of George Washington University; Col. and Mrs. P. M. Anderson, J. Frank Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Crover, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Brewster, Percy E. Sackett, Miss Anna Finnerty and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Collins.

Culbertson on Bridge

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The Rocks of Distribution.

Rare indeed is the hand at Bridge in which a player, not vulnerable, has an absolutely sound Opening bid with a surplus of honor tricks and finds himself left in a contract of one doubled, in which, because of a dearth of distributional values, he goes down 1,000 points.

However, Mr. Charles B. Griner, of Jacksonville, Fla., was the participant in a recent Rubber Bridge game in that city in which his luckless opponent in the West met this fate. The hand was:

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1♠	Dbl.	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West, Dealer
Neither side vulnerable

Mr. Griner was seated South and reasoned, when North doubled for a Takeout, that regardless of what his partner's high cards and distributional values might be, it was much better to play against West's contract than to make a bid of two with four hearts to the six-spot. As a matter of fact, this view was fully sustained by the result.

North opened the King of diamonds and continued with the Queen and Ace. Mr. Griner discarded on the three diamonds his three losing clubs. North then led the singleton Ace of hearts and then a club, which was ruffed by South, and the eventual outcome of the deal was that West made only the Ace and King of spades. A hand containing 4½ honor-tricks turned out to be worth but two tricks in actual play.

Of course, it is obvious that the hand would have played better at any other declaration than spades for East and West, East, being void of spades, should have rescued West, as the chances of the Double being left-in were too great.

After South passed obviously for penalties, West should have bid one notrump and allowed East to decide in regard to the best bid for the combined hands.

Tomorrow's Hand.

East, Dealer
East and West vulnerable

The hand will be discussed in tomorrow's article.

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Catholic U. Editors To Get Keys Tonight

Keys will be presented the retiring staff of the Tower, weekly undergraduate publication at Catholic University, at a banquet tonight in the Hamilton Hotel. William McAndrew, retiring editor, will act as toastmaster.

The new staff, as announced yesterday, includes Ambrose Hasso, editor in chief; Sidney Russell, managing editor; William McAndrew, sports editor; Felix Sherry, copy editor, and James Seng, circulation manager.

Plymouth Church Scene of Session

Congregational Assembly Scheduled Today.

The Washington Association of Congregational Churches will meet in semiannual session at 2 p. m. today in Plymouth Congregational Church, Seventeenth and P streets northwest.

In the day assembly reports from the various churches will be received. In the evening Dr. Leon Smith, president of the Southern Christian Convention, will speak on Elon College. The Rev. Marion Malone, a Presbyterian pastor, will discuss "What Is Christian—Socialism or Capitalism?"

The association is composed of Congregational-Christian churches in the District, Maryland, Virginia and Delaware. Its moderator is the Rev. Arthur Elmes, of Washington.

Pharmacists Elect Tonight.

The District of Columbia Pharmaceutical Association will elect officers at the annual meeting at 8 o'colck tonight in the Raleigh Hotel. A president, six vice presidents and a secretary-treasurer will be elected.

How to Keep Well

By Dr. W. A. Evans.

Eating Fats.

The ketogenic diet is one that is so very rich in fats as to maintain the body in the condition known as acidosis. The acids in the body resulting from this type of dieting are those of the aromatic type, resulting from burning of fats. The practical point in using this diet is to make use of as much fat as possible and camouflage as much as is possible. The rocks to be steered clear of are loss of appetite and fat-caused nausea and indigestion.

The fats to be used are those that have the least greasy taste. The recipes used and the dishes made are those in which the greasy taste is hidden as much as possible. The latter problem is similar to that which confronted the pharmacists who were called on to devise mixtures of castor oil which would appeal to the palate. Well chilled fat tastes less greasy than warm fat. Pork cooked in certain ways is greasier than when otherwise prepared. Salad dressings are less objectionable to the taste than is the oil that enters into them. The cooks who prepare ketogenic diets could learn some lessons from the pharmacists who have wrestled with the problem of making castor oil a soda fountain drink.

In the first of the two fields most people do not regard butter, cream cheeses and creams as tasting particularly greasy. A ketogenic diet for a day, made use of by some physicians and dietitions, is as follows:

Breakfast: two eggs, 1 ounce butter, 2 ounces bacon fried in butter, 1 roll with 1 ounce butter, 1 cup coffee.

Luncheon: Three ounces meat cooked with 1 ounce butter, vegetables to suit the appetite, vegetable salads with oil dressing, 4 ounces stewed fruits served with 2 ounces cream, 1 roll served with ½ ounce buttter, 1 cup coffee served with cream.

Afternoon tea: 1 roll with ½ ounce butter, 1 ounce cheese, 1 cup tea.

Dinner: 3 ounces fish, 1 ounce butter, 1 or more vegetables cooked with butter or served with cheese, stewed fruit served with 2 ounces cream, 1 roll served with 1 ounce butter.

In this combination there are 7½ ounces of butter and about 7 ounces of 20 per cent cream.

The diet makes use of butter fats almost to the exclusion of fat from other sources. There is a little pork or other meat fat and one dish containing olive oil. No use is made of nuts and other vegetables as sources of fats.

The acidosis is kept track of by the frequent use of chemical tests.

The present field for the use of the ketogenic diet is in the treatment of certain forms of epilepsy, certain forms of headaches, and in colon infections of the urinary tract.

Apoplexy in Middle Age.

X. Y. Z. writes:

1. What would cause a person, not yet 40 years old, to have a stroke of paralysis?

2. Could it be caused from a slight leakly valve of the heart where it has never given any trouble?

3. Could the heart condition cause rheumatism?

4. Does rheumatism jump from one place to another?

Reply.

1. A stroke of apoplexy occurring in a person under 40 is apt to be due to old syphilitic infection. Among the possible causes are atheroma of blood vessels of the brain, valvular heart disease and nephritis.

2. Yes.

3. Yes. Rheumatism is one of the most frequent causes of valvular heart disease.

4. It does. It is a well-known jumper.

Uric Acid.

J. H. writes:

1. What is uric acid?

2. Can I correct the situation when there is too much in the blood?

Reply.

1. Uric acid is a chemical substance formed from cell nuclei. It is formed in the body out of the body tissues and it is also derived from food. The kidneys do not easily eliminate all of this acid, and when some accumulates in the tissues gout and gouty conditions may result.

2. If a person has a gouty tendency he should not drink alcoholic beverages or coffee or tea, or eat much eggs and meat. The most harmful meat products for gouty people are beef tea, roe, sweetbreads and kidney. The least harmful are boiled beef, canned beef and roast beef. Among the foods of greatest service in getting rid of uric acid and urates are potatoes, lima beans and bananas. Eating these is better than taking medicine.

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LUCKIES are All-Ways kind to your throat

— so round, so firm, so fully packed no loose ends

We like to tell about the finer tobaccos in Luckies—the choicest Turkish and domestic, and only the mild, clean center leaves—they taste better—then "It's toasted"—for throat protection. But we're just as proud of the way Luckies are made. They're so round and firm, so free from loose ends. That's why Luckies always "keep in condition"—do not dry out. Luckies are always—in all-ways!—kind to your throat.

"It's toasted"

✓ Luckies are all-ways kind to your throat

NOT the top leaves—they're under-developed—they are harsh!

Only the Center Leaves—these are the Mildest Leaves

They taste better

NOT the bottom leaves—they're inferior in quality—coarse and sandy!

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Federal Power Inquiry Will Resume Today

Files Which Yielded Data on Supposed Thayer Link in Evidence.

The Federal Trade Commission's inquiry into power company activities will be resumed today in Washington, with Harley L. Clark, president of the Utility Power & Light Co. of Chicago, expected to take the witness stand.

Following examination of Clark, the hearing will take up additional correspondence files of the Associated Gas & Electric Co. group, and of the J. G. White Management Corporation, its management company. These files yielded sensational correspondence imputing payments by the associated company to W. T. Thayer, New York State senator.

In addition, commission attorneys expect to present testimony concerning the Laclede Gas Light Co., of St. Louis.

Anti-Lynching Bill Approved

Leaders, However, Say Floor Consideration Is Unlikely.

(Associated Press.)

The Senate Judiciary Committee yesterday approved the Costigan-Wagner antilynching bill, but Democratic leaders held out little hope for floor consideration this session.

Chairman Ashurst, in announcing the committee action, said there were "two or three votes against it," but approval was given by voice vote.

The bill levies fines up to $10,000 on counties where lynchings occur, makes it a felony for Federal officials to give up a prisoner to a mob, and provides penalties of $5,000 and imprisonment for five years of those guilty of lynching.

The bill defines a "mob or riotous assemblage" as a group composed of "three or more persons acting in concert, without authority of law, for the purpose of depriving any person of his life, or doing him physical injury."

Where a person was seized in one county and lynched in another both counties would be held jointly liable to pay the $10,000 penalty.

Drunken Drivers Hit As "Potential Killers"

Fredericksburg, Va., April 9 (AP).—Judge Frederick W. Coleman, addressing the Caroline County grand jury here today, denounced drunken drivers of automobiles as "menaces and potential killers," and charged jurymen to see that such persons were properly punished.

Radio Waves and Ripples

DR. WILLIAM A. WIRT, Gary Ind., educator, who stirred up a minor riot when he charged brain trusters with being partial to crimson, will be "on the mat" this morning before a special Congressional committee.

WJSV's reportorial crew will set up microphones in the caucus room of the new House Office Building where the fireworks will be set off at 10 a. m. Bob Trout, Clyde Hunt and Ted Church will handle the broadcast and they promise to stick with it if it gets hot . . . which means they will miss their lunch.

The committee, led by Representative Bullwinkle (North Caroline) will proceed to probe the good doctor.

'Twill be a good show, so twirl your dials and hear the cross-examiners . . . Representative Connor (Democrat) N. Y.; Lehlbach (Republican) N. Y.; Arnold (Democrat) Ill., and McGugin (Republican) Kansas.

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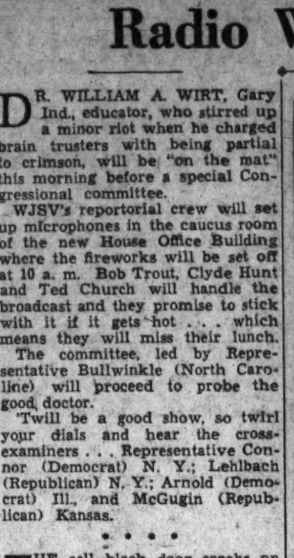
THE cell block door creaks on its hinges and a brisk young woman smartly attired breezes in as several seedy-looking inmates shift their eyes to give her a bored once over.

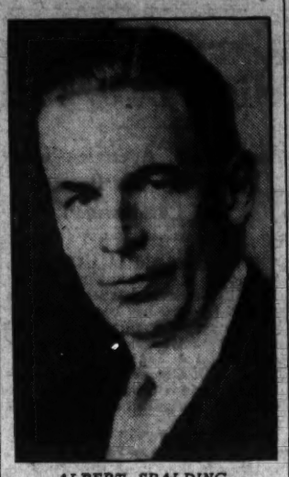
Sauntering up to Jack "Big Eyes" Gulch, who is propped in his undershirt, the woman adjusts her most business-like smile and says:

"Jack, you can tell me all about it . . . I've known all along that you're innocent." Gulch opens one fishy eye and stares at the wall.

"If you're one o' them newspaper dames, beat it . . . I don't wanna talk." This was the substance of "The Killer's" philosophy. But Cynthia Witherspoon, crack girl reporter of the Daily Bulletin, nothing daunted, was out to get her man. Hours later subway crowds bought the final night extra and read "The Killer's" confession, complete with a layout of pictures and Cynthia Witherspoon's byline on page one.



DR. WILLIAM A. WIRT, Gary Ind., superintendent of schools . . . though not a radio star . . . his comments on Communism will enliven the air this morning when he appears before a House committee investigating his charges of radicalism in the "Brain Trust." WJSV is handling the broadcast at 10 o'clock.



ALBERT SPALDING, the first world-famous violinist to sign for a long-term radio series, is featured on Wednesdays at 8:30 p. m. over a C. B. S. chain. America's foremost instrumentalist, Spalding has canceled his annual European tour and will present his music over the air for another 13 weeks.

Women in journalism experience a great deal more than this . . . all of which you may expect to hear about today in a broadcast entitled, "Ladies of the Press," at 2 p. m. over WJSV.

Women, with their intuitive powers and ability to project emotion and drama into the day's news, contribute an important part to present-day journalism. What is means to gather news will be discussed by Mary Day Winn, associate editor of the New York Herald Tribune, and Prunella Wood, woman's page editor of the New York American.

PROBABLY the juiciest, most dripping smile in screendom is that of Victor McLaglen, your favorite roughneck.

Vic has combed many beaches and shouldered a musket in some of the hottest bush wars that ever popped. But he can't seem to inspire that deep, all-pervading love that falls to the lot of the Barrymores and Montgomeries.

Vic will regale you with his wisecracking tonight at 8:45 o'clock over WJSV—replacing Herbert Marshall, who is too ill to appear. McLaglen will be interviewed by Eleanor Barnes, film writer.

Musical features will be the Mills brothers' final program in this country before leaving for Europe.

YOU may want to hear why an elephant casts such a large shadow . . . which weighty debate will be toyed with by Col. Stoopnagle and Budd tonight at 10 o'clock on WJSV . . . but be ready to catch the first episode of a new drama, "Conflict," starting a half hour later on the same spot.

Specially prepared for the air by T. S. Stribling (no relation to the late "Young" Stribling, the boxer) . . . the series will present a static picture of industrial rivalry in the '90's between steamboat lines and rapidly developing railroads for control of commerce on the Tennessee River.

Continuing through the turn of the century, the series will show the pace of industry being set by such revolutionary advances as the "horseless buggy" and the "flying machine." Establishing the characters, the opening episode will number in its cast Ray B. Collins, William Johnson, Adelaide Klein, Millie June, John Battle, Kenneth Daigneau and Geoffrey Bryant.

Cast on the perilous sea of literature at an early age, Stribling earned his bread by pounding out such novels as "Birth-right," "Teeftallow," "The Forge," "The Store" and the recently finished "Unfinished Cathedral."

Whitecaps.

WRC—"Your Child" series, talk by Miss Ella Gardner, Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, on "The Child and Outdoor Life," 11:15 a. m.; Houghton College Choir, church music, 12:45 p. m.; Gladys Petch, authority on folk traditions, speaking on "Wedding Day in Norway," Woman's Review, 3:30 p. m.; "The Student Prince," operetta with Gladys Swarthout, Metropolitan Opera star, 10 p. m.

WMAL—Operatic works of Verdi and Massenet and a Beethoven symphony, presented by the Rochester Symphony Orchestra, 3 p. m.; National Advisory Council on Radio in Education, "State and Local Government Control of Liquor Traffic," talk by Albert L. Scott, coauthor of the Rockefeller liquor report; Prof. Yandell Henderson, of Yale University, and Prof. Luther Gulick, of Columbia University, 7:15 p. m.; first installment of "The Absentee Killer," mystery drama on Crime Club, 8 p. m.

WJSV—Dr. William A. Wirt appearing at Congressional hearing on radicalism charges, 10 a. m.; "Ladies of the Press," discussion by Mary Day Winn, of the New York Herald Tribune, and Prunella Wood, woman's page editor of the New York American, 2 p. m.; Victor McLaglen interviewed by Eleanor Barnes, 8:45 p. m.; Eugene Ormandy, conducting Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra in works of Wagner, Mascagni, Thomas, Schumann, Brahms and Rimsky-Korsakoff, 9:30 p. m.; Col. Stoopnagle and Budd tell of elephant who "remembered," 10 p. m.; opening episode of "Conflict" by T. S. Stribling, 10:30 p. m.; Claude Hopkins' Orchestra presenting "Harlem Serenade" with arrangements of "Zombie," "Nola" and Milenburg Joys, 10:45 p. m.

WOL—"Gypsy Barytone," 8:30 p. m.

Many and strange are the requests that come to the District Chapter of the American Red Cross. Whenever possible these requests are broadcast to listeners over Art Godfrey's Sun Dial on WJSV. Yesterday a good woman wrote in stating that patients at St. Elizabeths Hospital were in need of one perfectly good aquarium.

It must have room for 20 gold fish . . . no more, no less . . . so Art will comply this morning in hopes that somewhere in the fastnesses of the District there may be one perfectly good home for 20 stranded gold fish.

The Post Radio Time-Table

Tuesday, April 10 — Washington — Eastern Standard Time

	WRC 316M—950KC	WMAL 476M—630 KC	WJSV 206M—1460KC	WOL 229M—1310KC	
6:30	.....	.....	Elder Michaux ..	.....	6:30
6:45	Exercises	Early Risers.....	" " ..	.....	6:45
7:00	"	Breakfast Club...	Sun Dial	Musical Clock..	7:00
7:15	"	" " ...	" "	" " ..	7:15
7:30	"	" " ...	" "	" " ..	7:30
7:45	"	" " ...	" "	" " ..	7:45
8:00	M'ning Devotions	" " ...	" "	" " ..	8:00
8:15	Organ Rhapsody.	" " ...	" "	" " ..	8:15
8:30	Cheerio	" " ...	" "	" " ..	8:30
8:45	"	" " ...	" "	" " ..	8:45
9:00	Mail Bag.....	N. E. F. Meekins.	Woman's Hour ...	" " ..	9:00
9:15	Landt Trio.....	Pepper Pot.....	" " ...	" " ..	9:15
9:30	Bradley Kincaid.	" "	" " ...	" " ..	9:30
9:45	Beauty Service..	" "	" " ...	" " ..	9:45
10:00	Breen & De Rose	Edward MacHugh.	Dr. Wirt.....	M'sical Interlude	10:00
10:15	Clara, Lu 'n' Em	Castles in Air ..	" "	Concert Waltzes	10:15
10:30	Treasure Chest..	Today's Children..	Morning Moods..	Varieties, Values	10:30
10:45	Morning Parade.	Piano Recital	Acad. of Medicine	" "	10:45
11:00	" " ..	Pappy, Exra, Zeke	Pet Milky Way...	Mountain Music.	11:00
11:15	"Your Child"...	Listening Post ...	Frivolities	Accordion Aces.	11:15
11:30	Three Shades...	Marine Band	Tony Wons.....	Ensemble	11:30
11:45	Al Bernard.....	" "	Senator Tydings ..	Organ Doctor..	11:45
	AFTERNOON PROGRAMS				
12:00	P'ck & Lawn'st.	" "	Voice of Exp'r'nce	J. Washington..	12:00
12:15	Fields & Hall...	" "	Connie Gates....	Ensemble	12:15
12:30	Jo Ellen Maxson.	Farm, Home Hour	The Traveler....	Vivian Green..	12:30
12:45	Houghton College	" " "	Geo. Scherban ...	Church of Air..	12:45
1:00	Emil Velazco...	" " "	Afternoon Rhythms	Sign off	1:00
1:15	" " ...	" " "	Joan Marrow....	.....	1:15
1:30	Mayfair Orch...	Vic & Sade.....	Women of U. S. .	.....	1:30
1:45	" " ...	Merry Macs	Louis Panico Orch	.....	1:45
2:00	Merry Madcaps.	Willson's Orch ..	"Ladies of Press".	.....	2:00
2:15	Germany	" " ..	Music Room	.....	2:15
2:30	Theater Forum..	Smackout	School of Air	.....	2:30
2:45	Mary Knox.....	Nellie Revell	" " "	.....	2:45
3:00	Ma Perkins.....	A Capella Choir..	Arthur Godfrey..	Variety Matinee	3:00
3:15	Blue Echoes....	" "	" " ..	" "	3:15
3:30	Woman's Review	Rochester Orch ..	Gypsy Music	" "	3:30
3:45	" "	" " ..	Fats Waller.....	World Book ...	3:45
4:00	Tango Orch....	Betty & Bob.....	Navy Band.....	Vocal Gems ...	4:00
4:15	Prehistoric Game	Singing Stranger .	" "	Tango Band...	4:15
4:30	"V'al Guidance"	Salon Music	Bob Standish....	Ted Lewis	4:30
4:45	Lady Next Door.	Mary R. Williams.	Madison Ensemble	Organ Echoes .	4:45
5:00	Hi-Hat Hawaiians	Tea Time.....	Skippy	Something for	5:00
5:15	Aunt Sue.....	News	Dictators	Everyone	5:15
5:30	Sundown Revue.	Health & H'ppiness	Jack Armstrong..	" "	5:30
5:45	Herr. Sparklers.	Orphan Annie....	Jeanne Bishop...	" "	5:45
	NIGHT PROGRAMS				
6:00	Bulletin Board .	Ferdinando Orch.	Buck Rogers....	Scouting	6:00
6:15	May'er Concert..	" " "	Bob and Norm ...	Today in Sports	6:15
6:30	Wash. Favorites.	Evening Album...	Arch MacDonald..	Rhythm Hour ..	6:30
6:45	Fireside Fantasy.	Lowell Thomas...	Morton Downey...	Snook Friedman	6:45
7:00	Mary Small.....	Amos 'n' Andy...	Myrt & Marge...	Hal Thompson..	7:00
7:15	Wheatenaville ..	Council on Radio .	Just Plain Bill...	News	7:15
7:30	Johnny Russell..	" " "	Silver Serenaders.	Ensemble	7:30
7:45	The Goldbergs..	Cavaliers	Boake Carter....	Stamp Club....	7:45
8:00	Leo Reisman's Or.	Crime Club.....	Little Jack Little	Ray Nichols...	8:00
8:15	" " "	" "	Old Apothecary..	Stonewall Trio.	8:15
8:30	Wayne King....	Hudson Vocalians.	Voice of Exp'n'ce	Gypsy Barytone	8:30
8:45	" "	" "	Dramas of Life ..	Morley Sisters .	8:45
9:00	Ben Bernie's Or.	Mayflower Concert	California Melodies	Martha & Billy	9:00
9:15	" " "	POSTILION	Ruth Etting.....	Clark's Orch ..	9:15
9:30	Ed Wynn.....	Duchin's Orch ...	M'polis Symphony	National Affairs	9:30
9:45	" "	" " ...	" "	Fred De Vaux.	9:45
10:00	Theater of Air..	Palmer Promenade	Camel Caravan...	Cocktail Hour..	10:00
10:15	" "	" " ...	" " ...	Horace Hustler.	10:15
10:30	Ghost Stories...	Heigh-Ho Orch ..	Phil Harris Orch..	Hal Thompson.	10:30
10:45	" " ...	" " ..	Harlem Serenade .	Tango Band ...	10:45
11:00	News	Donald Richberg..	" "	Ham Dalton...	11:00
11:15	Night Owl.....	Poet Prince	Charles Barnet...	Rizzo's Orch ..	11:15
11:30	Lotus Orch.....	Slumber Hour....	" "	Ernie Vallee...	11:30
11:45	" "	" "	Enoch Light.....	" "	11:45
12:00	Sign off.....	Masters Orch	Harry Sosnick....	Sign off	12:00
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O'Neill's "Ah, Wilderness," With George M. Cohan, Already Booked for Capital

Guild to Send Hit Play Over 30-Week Route

Time Ripe to Revive Road; "Barn" Theater Planned Playhouse Chat.

(Reprinted from yesterday's last edition.)

By Nelson B. Bell.

"Ah, Wilderness!" by Eugene O'Neill, America's foremost playwright, with George M. Cohan, America's first actor, in the leading role, will be presented in Washington as one of next season's early bookings, according to announcement received last evening from Russel Crouse, oracle-in-chief of the New York office of the Theater Guild. The precise playing date will be announced later. The booking for the National, however, is definite.

The inspiriting bulletin from Mr. Crouse—a recent personal visitor as one of the co-authors of Joe Cook's "Hold Your Horses" and the same Russel Crouse who last week cheered the Capital with announcement of the premiere of the Guild's production of "Jig Saw," at the National the week of April 23—goes on to say that "Ah, Wilderness!" will make an extensive tour of the United States, opening in Providence, R. I., Mr. Cohan's home town (with which he was not on speaking terms for many years) on September 24, and subsequently playing as far West and South as San Antonio, Tex.

The tour will last more than 30 weeks and is one of the most ambitious announced by the Guild—or anyone else, for that matter, with the possible exception of Katharine Cornell, Eva Le Gallienne and Walter Hampden—in several years.

"Happy Days, &c."

Mr. Crouse optimistically points out that the decision of the Guild to send the play out for so long a tour may be construed as indication of that organization's conviction that the turning point has been reached in the theatrical business.

This year has been the best in the Guild's history in New York—and this might be said for Washington, too, what with "Mary of Scotland," "Biography," "A School for Husbands," and now the impending "Jig Saw"—and its board of managers believes that with proper plays to entice their attendance, the entire country will respond. Its tour of "Ah, Wilderness!" is part of a pretentious plan to revive the road.

"Ah, Wilderness!" just to refresh the memory, is Eugene O'Neill's first comedy, a simple, homey play, by the man who has won three Pulitzer prizes. It has been termed by many critics his most interesting play.

First Gentleman of Theater.

Mr. Cohan, in its leading role of paterfamilias, has been acclaimed with virtual unanimity by the press as having attained the high point of his eminent career, a career which has brought him distinction as playwright, author of many hits, producer, actor and song writer. The wartime "Over There," the biggest hit song the country has ever known, was from his pen.

The cast on tour will be the identical one that has been seen in the play in New York throughout the present season and which will continue to perform it at the Guild Theater until midsummer. "Ah, Wilderness!" has, needless to say, been one of the biggest hits of the current season. It was staged by Philip Moeller and has settings designed by Robert Edmond Jones.

With regard to the revival of "the road," it is worthy of note that theatrical interests are now turning to the Federal Government for financial assistance in a last desperate effort to resuscitate a branch of their business which was once the life-blood of legitimate theatrical endeavor and which is conceded, even by some of the theater's most reluctant impresarios, to be "dying on its feet." A loan of $5,000,000 is being sought from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation and a petion for at least $1,000,000, to be operated as a revolving fund, has been sent direct to the White House, according to reliable report.

It is pointed out that a decade ago a road-show route sheet could take an attraction into 250 American cities and towns was not looked upon as unusual. Today, the record tour of the past two years—barring such individual enterprises as Katharine Cornell's, for example—is 17 weeks, held by the Theater Guild's production of "Biography," starring Washington's own Ina Claire.

"Barn" Theater—Hay-Hay!

Encouraged, if not actually inspired, by the recent agitation in favor of a real Little Theater for the Capital, instituted in these columns, a "barn" theater for Washington this summer, similar to the now famous New England companies, is promised by a group of young people active in local amateur dramatic work.

An open meeting to organize a full acting and producing company is announced for next Monday evening, April 16, at 8, in the auditorium of the Mount Pleasant Library, Sixteenth and Lamont streets northwest. Local amateur and college groups have been invited to attend.

A "barn" completely wired and well ventilated, just outside Washington and easily accessible, already has been acquired by the group.

Comprehensive Program.

Plans call for the formation of an entirely new and independent organization to handle all phases of theatrical production. The activities will include scenery design and construction and theater-managing departments, as well as a full stock company. A tentative program schedules four plays to be produced during the summer, at least one to be a manuscript play.

Denis E. Connell, prominent local director and actor, is serving as adviser to the group, which includes Walter Pick, as general manager; Richard Creyke, as business manager, and Catherine Prichard, publicity director.

To realize the potentialities of such a movement as this it is only necessary to recall that the "barn" theaters in New England—the Provincetown Players, the Litchfield Summer Theater and the Berkshire Playhouse, in Connecticut; the Newport Casino Theater, the Beacon Theater, at Falmouth, Mass.; the Hampton Players, of Southampton, Long Island, to mention a few of the more prominent—have made invaluable contributions to the professional theater, serving as a laboratory for the Broadway stage.

Many Fine Records.

Nearly all are "try-out" companies and many of the successful plays of the ensuing winter season are first presented by one or the other of these groups. The Provincetown Players, especially, are noteworthy for having introduced several of Eugene O'Neill's first plays.

Ann Harding, too, it will be recalled, is a graduate of one of these groups, Jasper Deeter's Theater, in Pennsylvania. Each summer, when motion picture schedules permit, she returns to her "alma mater" to take part in at least one of their productions.

The local group plans to model its project along the lines of these other successful ventures in pastoral pastiming. There is no apparent reason why they should not succeed.

Speaking of amateur productions, the Montgomery players will offer the first local nonprofessional performance of "Goodby Again," on Saturday night in the auditorium of the Bethesda-Chevy Chase High School, Forty-fourth and Elm streets, Chevy Chase, Md. This comedy was played in New York by Osgood Perkins and by Stephen E. Cochran's National Theater Players here when Donald Woods was leading man.

The cast Saturday will include Martha S. Williams, Harrison Hathaway, Mary Daub, Ralph S. Fowler, Stanley True, Donald Bolton, Dan Pollock, Edna E. Westwood, Helen Hathaway, Thomas P. Dowd and Irving M. Day, jr. Richard W. Westwood is directing.

An Artist Returns.

Although he did more to help that other local luminary, Kate Smith, in her protracted project of getting the moon over that mountain than anyone else in radio, his genius for arrangement and distinguished musicianship remained shrouded in mystery. His name never appeared on any program. That space always was occupied by the name of Ted Collins. But he was a power behind the world-famous Kate Smith program, nevertheless.

But Washington knew this man, Augustin Borguno, long before his association with the Kate Smith celebrity—long before there was any Kate Smith celebrity—knew him as a pianist of note, an expert and often inspired arranger of orchestral music, a personality of culture and background.

Now that Borguno has deserted radio and returned to the Capital, though he remains one of Spain's most popular composers of dance music, it is timely to recall something of the career of an artist whose talents comprise one of Washington's valuable musical assets.

Born in Barcelona.

Born in Barcelona, Augustin Borguno came to the United States in 1918. After a short stay in New York, he arrived in Washington. He spoke almost no English and yet he was able to step to the piano and play American jazz with an American orchestra as if reared to the eccentricities of the Gershwin and Berlin schools of composition.

Almost at once he bgean arranging popular American music for Meyer Davis, with whose orchestras he then played. Meyer rated Borguno as highly as Ferdie Grofe was rated by Whiteman. He also began to compose, chiefly Spanish dances which were brought by his Barcelona publisher at the rate of six or seven a year.

Being a Catalan by birth, he wrote many native dances, some founded on old folks themes. When he was not writing in his own musical idiom, he was orchestrating for saxophones and muted brass and handling intricate American rhythms like a veteran of the jazz front.

Composed Light Opera.

Among other things, he has composed a light opera score and a comedy ballet, with a Persian setting and a score of exotic, spicy quality. While with the Davis organization, Borguno composed "Le Paradis Blues" and arranged George Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue", written for full symphonic instrumentation, for an orchestra of six!

Now that he has returned home—he calls Washington "home"—it is perhaps natural that he should have become affiliated with his fellow-countryman and oldest friend, Peter Borras, proprietor of the Madrillon.

Not the least of Borguno's accomplishments, no longer with any field for exercise, was the cueing of musical settings to silent motion pictures, a tricky art in which, on occasion, he manifested the expertness of a Daniel Breeskin or the late Nick Mirsky, both masters of their craft.

There is talk that on Tuesday out at Bowie a special feature known as the Jimmy Durante "Schnozzola" Handicap will be run, in compliment to the stage's ace madman, now putting in a week of personal appearances at Loew's Fox. If this comes off, somebody ought to impress it on the bangtails that in preservation of the eternal unities this race will have to be won by a nose!

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Gayety

"KENTUCKY BELLES," Hirst-Lake production, featuring Lew Costello, Bee Sherman and Edna Dee, with Evelyn Whitney, Kay Cassidy, Marji White, Agnes Nichols, Billy Foster and Len Kramer, Frank Smith and Russell Trent. Staged under the direction of Frankie Bryant. Reviewed Sunday matinee by W. A. Whitney.

With the vivacious Edna Dee held over for another week, confirmed Gayety addicts were assured of another good show and one which, if for no other reason than the hotcha-cha blonde (red-wigged this week—or was it a blonde wig last week?), would amply repay another visit.

But with true Lake sagacity, the colonel has not left it entirely up to La Dee, for with Evelyn Whitney, Marji White and Kay Cassidy there is little left to be desired in the way of gyratory enchanters.

On the male side of the company Lew Costello is the head man. Whether one should term him a comic, a straight man or a dancer, all depends on that portion of his work that most appeals, for he is, at one time or another, all three. And his work is consistently good.

The team of Billy Foster and Len Kramer return with a batch of comedy skits from which the expectoration and apparent nausea might well be eliminated.

Russell Trent also plays a triple role with uniform success, as straight man, magician and dancer. And when there is the need of a tenor, he even fills in with a voice that should be given a better spot.

Agnes Nichols would be considered the prima donna, were it not for the fact that Bee Sherman also signs in a lusty contralto that is quite in keeping with her size and the blues songs she warbles.

The Dancing Bryantettes, as the chorus is dubbed, have several well executed routines, besides its own scene in which five of the coryphees are singled out to show their individual talents.

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First Outsider on the West Set

The first layman to crash the sacred portals of the sound stage where Mae West is making her latest cinema for Paramount, "It Ain't No Sin," was Elliott Roosevelt, son of the President and Mrs. Franklin Delano Roosevelt. He was the guest of Director Leo McCarey, who probably supplied the script he is examining—or is it the old family album?

Straight From the Studios

Gloria Swanson to Do "Three Weeks" Following Tour; Many New Contracts Signed on M-G-M Lot; Newsy Gossip From Film Capital.

(Reprinted from yesterday's last edition.)

By Edwin Schallert.

Hollywood, April 8.—A personal appearance tour is almost a certainty for Gloria Swanson. She left last week for New York. It is still a question of securing suitable material, but the impression is that enough will be available for her to choose from when she reaches her destination, so the chances are the plan will work out, in which event Gloria will be away for 12 weeks, and on her return, will appear in "Three Weeks."

C. AUBREY SMITH.

Adaptation for this is being prepared by Zoe Akins, and the treatment given the subject will be entirely new and original, so that even if "Three Weeks" seems not to be the livest subject at first sight for the screen, it will be made so.

Irving Thalberg is producing the film, which will bring Miss Swanson back for the first time in almost a year to pictures.

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Carole Lombard Replaced.

Because Carole Lombard wasn't so keen about the leading role in "Kiss and Make Up," Genevieve Tobin is to take her place. This film was formerly known as "Cosmetics." Practically a complete cast has been engaged and includes Cary Grant in the lead, Helen Mack, Edward Everett Horton, Lucien Littlefield, Mona Maris and Toby Wing.

The role is regarded as exceedingly well suited to Miss Tobin whose range as an actress has been proven pretty broad anyway.

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"Dim Faces" for Raft.

In spite of the fact that he is on vacation, Paramount is still on the lookout for starring pictures for George Raft. The studio has elected to do one called "Dim Faces," by Philip McDonald, which concerns an escaped prisoner who goes to London, hides his identity, and starts a new life. Incidentally, he is not a gangster in the film. The production mostly concerns his experiences after he secures his freedom.

The main point about the gangster thing is that Raft wants to get away from that type of role, and this picture enables him to do that while still portraying a character that is not too unfamiliar to him.

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Actress' Luck Changes.

Erin O'Brien-Moore has had several inauspicious tries at picture-making. Now she is finally lined up for a role that looks fairly definite. This in "A Family Man," with Richard Dix. Miss O'Brien-Moore's first was under contract to M. G. M. and that led nowhere. She didn't even play a part while she was at the studio. Just recently she was to appear in a Universal picture and was taken ill about the time it started. The production couldn't be held up. She drew special attention on the stage when she was seen as the daughter in "Street Scene." She played in the Elmer Rice success on the Coast as well as in New York.

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Jean Parker Assigned.

Jean Parker has been signed to play opposite Charles Boyer in "Caravan," which has been known by various titles, the latest before this being "By Royal Command." Anyway, it is the story of gypsy life in which the French actor is making his Hollywood debut. Beside Miss Parker, C. Aubrey Smith has been added to the cast in an important role.

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Picture Pageant Now Passing.

Wallace Beery is keeping a plane right on location every minute he is working on "Treasure Island," so that he may get to the bedside of his wife in case her illness should take any serious turn.

Charles Butterworth has been cast in the picture, "No More Ladies." Una Merkel has been chosen to do the queen in "The Merry Widow." Both these assignments assure a lot of comedy.

The film, "Love the Hard Way," starts work with Arthur Jarrett in the lead, with the support including Betty Grable, Red Stanley, Bobby Watson, Marion Burns, Thelma White, Lois January, Gene Sheldon and Jay Mills.

(Reprinted from yesterday's last edition.)

By Grace Kingsley.

Hollywood, April 8.—Contracts by the wholesale are being renewed out at Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. And along with the renewing of contracts those players and directors being contracted are likewise being assigned.

CARY GRANT.

Another "Tarzan" picture, for instance, to be made in Africa, is in the offing, and who should direct it but W. S. Van Dyke, whose "Trader Horn" and "Eskimo," the former made in Africa and the latter in Alaska, are famous.

Maureen O'Sullivan is likewise favored by M. G. M. with a new long-term contract, and is now working with Norma Shearer in "The Barretts of Wimpole Street." Having completed this, the actress will leave for her native Ireland, and when she returns will play in the new "Tarzan" film with Johnny Weismuller.

Mae Clark, Karen Morley and Mae Robson all likewise will remain for another term of years with M. G. M. Miss Morley will probably play the lead in the film version of Keith Winter's current New York success, "The Shining Hour," and Miss Robson will star in "No More Ladies."

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Cary Grant's Hard Luck.

If Cary Grant can believe a certain St. Johns, Newfoundland, newspaper, then his family status has changed quite suddenly. The Paramount player yesterday opened a page of the paper, and under a caption explaining that Cary and Virginia Cherrill were married recently, Cary found himself gazing thunder-struck at a picture of a man, a woman and two children.

But this isn't the only comical mistake in which Cary and his bride have figured. While the pair were in New York recently, a paper there printed a two-column picture of them under the caption: "Alice-in-Wonderland Cat Seeks Home!"

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Heard on the Boulevard.

Mrs. Joe Cawthorn gave a perfectly grand party for her husband on the occasion of Joe's birthday . . . Joe and Mrs. Cawthorn danced a jig and sang . . . And were they good! . . . Chatted with John Barrymore, who was there with his beautiful wife, Dolores Costello . . . John was telling about a book, published in the eighteen hundreds, about a certain Lord Barrymore, ancestor of the famous family, who was fond of the gay life, and was a patron of the theater . . . "And the author," chuckled John, "relates how the Lord Mayor of London, or somebody equally important, in speaking of a certain person high in social life, declared that 'he associated with roisterers and such, and had sunk so low that he associated with the Barrymores!'" . . . John loves a joke at his own expense more than anybody I know . . . Edgar Allan Woolf was there—had cooked the spaghetti, which was excellent . . . Louise Dresser and Jack Gardner among the guests . . . They are living at their old-fashioned Glendale home. "I don't think we'll ever live in our Beverly place again," said Louise, "we love that old house." . . . Conway Tearle and Otto Kruger playing the piano delightfully—Mrs. Conway Tearle, Robert North singing . . . Supper, and everybody joining in drinking Joe's health . . . Mrs. Cawthorn's sons, William, the composer, and Harry, actor and director, also her clever grandson, Joe, entertaining . . . And young Joe gives great promise of following in Joe, sr's., footsteps as a comedian . . . Also present Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Craven, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Errol, Maria Alba and David Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Breese, Lew Fields, Arthur Byron and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Buckland . . . Janet Gaynor and James Dunn playing rummy on the "Change of Heart" set . . . Grace Moore receiving a letter from Otto Kahn, her long-time friend and sponsor, two days before his death, telling her he was coming to California on his yacht, and asking her and her husband, Valentin Parrera, to save a day or two for him . . .

Man Held for Making Bogus Whisky Stamps

Charleston, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.). Held on a charge of printing counterfeit internal revenue stamps and labels, which Federal officers say were sold to rum runners, Rector Vandale, 72, proprietor of a Charleston printing plant, has been bound over under bond for Federal grand jury action.

Federal officers told Albert V. Fitzwater, United States commissioner, that the stamps and labels had been used by rum runners bringing liquor into Charleston as tax-paid bonded liquor purchased in neighboring States.

75 Attend Baptist District Meeting

Frederick, Md., April 9 (Spl.).—Seventy-five women from Frederick and Carroll Counties attended the quarterly meeting of the Western District Association of Baptist Churches, at the First Baptist Church here.

Following a business session presided over by Mrs. J. P. Daniel, Brunswick, addresses were made by Mrs. Royal, Mrs. J. P. Scruggs, Kensington; Mrs. C. W. Gregory, Frederick, and Miss Helen Emmert, Hagerstown. A pageant was given by the Woman's Auxiliary of the local church.

Mrs. J. P. Richards, Hagerstown, explained the work of the Woman's Missionary Union and Miss Mildred Bingham, Weverton, spoke on "Our Young People's Organizations."

Carroll Loans Hit $140,190

Four U. S. Agencies Take Major Debt Burden Off Landowner.

Westminster, Md., April 9 (Spl.). A survey of the court records of Carroll County has revealed that a total of $140,190 has been loaned to county property owners the past year by various Federal agencies, including the Federal Land Bank, Land Bank Commissioners, Homeowners Loan Corporation and the Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation.

Federal Land Bank loans, which require 5 per cent of the loan to be made in land bank stock, totaled $42,000. Loans from the Land Bank Commissioners, requiring no purchase of stock, amounted to $78,200.

At the present time mortgages held by the Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioners cover Carroll County land in excess of 5,300 acres.

Only four owners of town property have secured loans from the Homeowners Loan Corporation. These loans totaled $19,390.92. The Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation has one loan of $600 for the purchase of seed, fertilizer and farm supplies.

Corn-Hog Group Chooses Officers

Lancaster, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Officers elected for the Lancaster County Corn-Hog Control Association include W. H. George, president; Lloyd F. Squires, vice president; C. Carter Chase, secretary, and Joseph Pierce, treasurer.

W. H. George, Horace Curry and W. H. Walker are members of the allottment committee. Chairmen of the five community committees comprise the board of directors. The five community committees: White Stone—Lloyd F. Squires, chairman, C. T. Treakle and J. F. Chase; Kilmarnock—W. H. George, chairman; W. E. Currell and C. H. Currell; Lancaster—Horace Curry, chairman; T. H. Towles and Earl Towles; Lively — Joseph Pierce, chairman, J. C. Marsh and I. L. Forrester; Ottoman—W. H. Walker, chairman; F. W. Walker and W. E. Stevens.

15-County U. S. Relief Parley Held at Bristol

Bristol, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Approximately 30 Federal relief workers from 15 counties of southwest Virginia met in Bristol today to discuss the new garden and rehabilitation program.

Newly appointed garden directors, home demonstration agents, and in some cases, relief directors, attended.

Parleys Slated Soon For Rights-of-Way

Piedmont, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.). Negotiations for rights-of-way for a new hard-surfaced road from Piedmont to Elk Garden will be started within two weeks by the West Virginia State road commission, according to Delegate George G. Dixon.

The proposed road, Route 46, has been surveyed. It will shorten the distance from Piedmont to Elk Garden by about 10 miles.

Stores' Sales Tax Tickets Approved

West Virginia Official Authorizes Use.

Charleston, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Under a ruling handed down by Fred L. Fox, State tax commissioner, consumers' sales tax tickets may be issued by stores, but they are good only for the day issued.

The tickets are being given customers in chain and other stores to prevent an excess accumulation of the 2 per cent tax on successive purchases in different departments. Five 10-cent purchases at different places would ordinarily call for a tax of 5 cents, but tax credit on the initial ticket reduces it to 1 cent. The same credit system obtains with larger purchases.

The State tax commissioner also has ruled that the 2 per cent consumers' sales tax must apply to the cleaning and laundry industries, although under the law sales for personal services are exempt.

U. S. Would Swap Lots For Homestead Tract

Charleston, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.). A 100 per cent land bonus is being offered by Uncle Sam in an effort to obtain title to a large tract of land in Putnam County for the establishment of another Federal subsistence homestead project.

Individuals own 30 lots in the center of the tract and the Government wants them. Federal agents are offering the owners a swap of lots double the size a short distance away.

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Party Guests See Cardenas New Portrait

Ambassador of Spain and Wife Entertain at Embassy.

Senor Ricalde Presents Program of Songs for Guests.

By Evelyn Peyton Gordon.

Yesterday afternoon the Ambassador of Spain and Senora de Cardenas, soon to leave Washington for Europe, entertained at a "sherry party" and musicale.

It was a double occasion, with the first showing of a portrait of Senora de Cardenas painted by the Argentine artist, Senor Don Cesaro Bernaldo de Quiros, and with a program of songs by the young Spanish barytone, Senor Ricardo Rinaldi.

The Ambassador and Senora de Cardenas received the guests in a drawing room at the embassy, the latter wearing a smart afternoon gown of brown crepe trimmed with touches of beige. The portrait, which has been hung in the drawing room, presents Senora Cardenas in a costume of her native Rumania. A sunny yellow background is a fitting setting for the rich blond coloring of Senora de Cardenas, and the white costume with bright sash and pointed black hat. Guests praised the portrait.

Guests Served in Patio.

Refreshments were served in the patio of the embassy, which the hostess has transformed into an indoor garden, and at a buffet in the dining room.

At 6 o'clock the guests assembled in the music room for Senor Rinaldi's program.

Among the guests were the British Ambassador and Lady Lindsay, the Ambassador of Brazil and Mme. de Lima e Silva, the Minister of Greece and Mme. Simopoulos, the Minister of Sweden and Mme. Bostrom, and the retiring Minister of Norway and Mme. Bachke, the latter looking most handsome in a costume of gray crepe with handsome silver fox furs. The Marchioness Rossi Longhi, wife of the newly arrived Counselor of the Italian Embassy, wore a smart costume of red, and the Naval Attache of the Embassy and Signora Casardi were also among the guests.

The latter wore a smart gown of black satin with a wide-brimmed black hat.

Signora Sbernadori, wife of the Air Attache of the Italian Embassy, was attired in a suit of brown.

French Diplomats Attend.

From the French Embassy were the Counselor, Mr. Jules Henry, and the Second Secretary, Mr. Claude Boisanger. Others glimpsed were Mr. and Mrs. John Caswell, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krock, Mrs. John Phillip Hill, Mme. van Kathoven, and Mrs. Francis A. Whitten, wearing a costume of navy blue. With her was her guest, Mrs. Dorothy Norris, of New York, wearing a navy blue suit and a smart sailor hat of natural straw with a navy blue facing.

Mrs. Harry Wardman and her daughter, Miss Helen Wardman, were seen chatting with Mme. Riano, wife of the one-time Ambassador of Spain, and her sister, Mrs. Chandler Anderson. Miss Harriet Anderson was surrounded by a gay group of young people.

Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, tiny blonde wife of the Secretary of the Navy, and Mrs. Henry A. Morgenthau, jr., wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, represented the Cabinet contingent.

Eastern Star Home Party Set Thursday

Auxiliary Board Lists Many Reservations.

The General Home Board Auxiliary of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home will entertain at a card party at the Willard Hotel on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Among those who have made reservations are Mrs. Charles Greenstreet, Mrs. Wallace Streator, Mrs. Edward N. Riley, Mrs. Lella J. Cooke, Mrs. Nellie Cosden, Mrs. Edward S. Brashears, Mrs. Alan Frank Kreglow, Mrs. Elizabeth Rhine, Mrs. Minnie E. Keyes, Mrs. Flora E. Campbell, Mrs. Alcena Lamond, Mrs. Catherina Loffler, Mrs. Katie M. L. Gude, Mrs. Vernon G. Owen, Mrs. Otto B. Roepke, Mrs. Needham C. Turnage, Mrs. Theodore Lewis, Mrs. Paul B. Cromelin, Mrs. Esther Cross, Mrs. Milburn Donohue, Mrs. William Loveless, Mrs. Irma Moon Smith, Mrs. Hugh Smith, Mrs. Hannah Munroe, Mrs. Rochel Todd, Mrs. Louella Barrows, Mrs. J. C. Pyles, Mrs. William I. Hitchock, Mrs. Van W. Roberds, Mrs. Pearl Henderson, Mrs. Grace Long, Mrs. Frances Roche, Mrs. Mae Nichols, Mrs. Cleone Crampton, Mrs. Mary Kissinger, Miss Lillian Finelay, Mrs. Iva Hockenberry Toone, Mrs. Alfred Groom, Mrs. Howard Wackerman, Mrs. Eleanora Watson, Mrs. Sadye White, Mrs. Eugenia S. Corning, Mrs. Mary Brust, Mrs. Irene Steinbraker, Mrs. Sue Huyett, Mrs. Mary Kunkel and Mrs. R. G. Rambo.

Reception to Fete Signora Sarfatti

The Italy-America Society of Washington has issued invitations for a reception Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Sulgrave Club in honor of Signora Margherita Sarfatti, eminent Italian art critic.

Signora Sarfatti, who has been in New York for some time, will come to the Capital Saturday to spend several days at the Mayflower. She is the author of "Dux," a biography of Mussolini with a preface by the Italian premier, and one of the four originators of "Il Popolo d'Italia," published at Rome.

Following the reception on Monday Signora Sarfatti will address the members of the Italy-America Society and their guests, at 5 o'clock.

Young Visitors in Capital on Wedding Trip

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Ensign and Mrs. Nathaniel Minter Dial, who are visiting the former's parents, former Senator and Mrs. Nathaniel B. Dial, at their home on Kalorama road while in the East on their wedding trip. Ensign and Mrs. Dial were married March 24 in California, Mrs. Dial being the former Miss Elizabeth Porter, of Long Beach.

Notes of Official and Resident Society

The Ambassador of Poland, Mr. Stanislaw Patek, will entertain at dinner Thursday evening, and again on Wednesday, April 18.

The Ambassador of Italy, Signor Augusto Rosso, will have as his guest at luncheon today in the embassy Signor G. Martinelli, of the Metropolitan Opera Company, who will appear in Baltimore this evening.

The Ambassador of France and Mme. de Laboulaye are the guests in whose honor the Charge d'Affaires of Bulgaria and Mme. Petroff Tchomakoff will entertain at dinner this evening at the legation.

The Ambassador of Germany, Dr. Hans Luther, will entertain at dinner this evening in the embassy, and again tomorrow evening.

Soviet Ambassador Entertains Tonight.

The Ambassador of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and Mme. Troyanovsky will entertain at a reception at 9 o'clock this evening in the newly opened embassy on Sixteenth street. The guests will include several hundred members of diplomatic, official and resident society, and the reception will be in the nature of a house warming.

The Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Henry Morgenthau, jr., will entertain at dinner this evening, when the ranking guests will be the Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Lindsay. The guests will number 18.

Mrs. Homer S. Cummings, wife of the Attorney General, will be at home for the last time this season tomorrow afternoon from 4 until 6 o'clock in her home on Tilden street.

The Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace entertained informally at dinner last evening in their apartment at Wardman Park. The guests numbered 12.

Senator and Mrs. James J. Davis entertained at dinner last evening in their home on Massachusetts avenue, later taking their guests to the reception given at Georgetown University by the president of the university, the Rev. W. Coleman Nevils, S. J. There were 18 guests.

Brother of Senator Is Guest for Week.

Senator and Mrs. Warren Austin have as their guests in their apartment at the Mayflower Hotel the former's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey G. Austin, of Vermont and Chicago, who will remain about a week.

Mrs. W. D. MacDougall, wife of Rear Admiral MacDougall, will be at home informally this afternoon from 4:30 until 6:30 o'clock in her home at 2101 Connecticut avenue. Mrs. MacDougall's sister, Mrs. Joseph Palmer, of Syracuse, N. Y., and Mrs. Henry Wiley, wife of Rear Admiral Wiley, retired, will receive with her.

The Military Attache of the German Embassy, Gen. Friedrich von Boetticher, and Frau von Boetticher have canceled all social engagements because of the death of the latter's mother, Baroness von Wirsing in Leipsig.

The Counselor of the Canadian Legation and Mrs. Hume Wrong are sojourning at Hot Springs, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Acheson, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Harrison and Miss Anne Harrison and Miss Helen Harrison have also arrived at the Homestead from Washington.

Mrs. John Seaborn Nance announces the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Elmina Nance Joachim, to Mr. Carl A. Joerissen. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother in South Orange, N. J., on Saturday at 4 o'clock. The Rev. George Edmison, of the First Presbyterian Church, officiated.

Mr. Joerissen and his bride left on a wedding trip to Bermuda. After May 1 they will be at home at 2100 Massachusetts avenue in Washington.

Mr. Ibrahim Seyfullah, Secretary of the Turkish Embassy, was host at dinner at the Shoreham Sunday. Covers were laid for ten.

Comdr. and Mrs. Dunn Returning to Capital.

Comdr. and Mrs. Arthur Wallace Dunn, who had been on the West Coast for several months, where the former was stationed at Long Beach, Calif., are en route to Washington by motor and will arrive early next week. They will be the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic D. McKenney, at their apartment in Wardman Park Hotel for about a month before going to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Knox have returned to Washington after a wedding trip to Bermuda and Nassau. Mrs. Knox was before her recent marriage Miss Lalla Harrison Lynn, daughter of Mrs. Richard Henry Lynn.

Lieut. Comdr. and Mrs. Miles R. Browning have moved to Wardman Park Hotel, where they have taken an apartment and will spend the coming months. He is stationed in Washington with the Navy Department Bureau of Aeronautics.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Creighton, of New York, are at the Carlton for a brief stay.

Wests to Entertain At Dinner Tonight.

Maj. and Mrs. Parker West will entertain at dinner this evening in their apartment at 2101 Connecticut avenue.

Lieut. George A. Moffett, U. S. N., and Mrs. Moffett are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, to be named for his grandfather, the late Rear Admiral William A. Moffett.

Mrs. John Russell Pope and daughter, of New York, are at the Carlton.

Mrs. Charles H. W. Mandeville will entertain a company of 30 at luncheon at the Shoreham today.

Mrs. Edward Shouse and her daughters, Miss Marian Shouse and Miss Elizabeth Shouse, have returned from a trip to Bermuda. Mrs. Shouse and Miss Marian Shouse having arrived in Washington. Miss Elizabeth Shouse is spending several days in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Hills Return to Capital.

Mrs. A. Stedman Hills has returned to the Shoreham from an extended visit to the West Coast. Mr. Hills joined her at St. Petersburg, Fla., where she went after leaving California, and returned to Washington with her.

Mrs. James Ellwood Jones and her young son, James, have returned to Washington after a sojourn at Useppa Island, Fla. They are now residing at 2101 Connecticut avenue and will move into their home on Belmont road in the early summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Crane and their daughter, Miss Cathalene Crane, of Chicago and New York, have arrived at the Shoreham. Miss Crane will remain in Washington with her father while Mrs. Crane makes a brief trip to New York City.

Many dinner parties have been arranged to precede the Democratic League's "New Deal ball" at Wardman Park Hotel this evening. Among those entertaining tables at the ball are Mr. and Mrs. William Reed, Mr. Richard Johnson, Miss Frances Simpson, Miss Winifred Alter and Mrs. George Barr. League officers, committee chairmen, and floor committees will be seated at a large horseshoe table, with covers laid for 50 people.

Mrs. Dorothy Honeywell Johnston, of New Hartford, N. Y., is at the Carlton, having come here to attend the Red Cross convention now being held in Washington.

Other delegates to the convention from the State of New York stopping at the Carlton are Mrs. Harry C. Palmer, of Brooklyn, and Mrs. C. E. Butler and Mrs. Roger Topp, of New York.

Miss Alice A. Driggs Ends Holiday Journey.

Miss Alice A. Driggs has returned to the Shoreham, following a visit in Atlantic City, where she spent Easter.

Mrs. Bernard F. Lansdale has as her guest Mrs. Ralph C. Eckles and her niece, Miss Marie C. Noone, of Bridgeport, Conn. Miss Noone will be an attendant at the marriage of Miss Gladys Brewood to Mr. Kenneth A. Orsen today.

The ball and reception to have been given tomorrow evening at the Shoreham Hotel by the Texas Club has been postponed indefinitely because of a delay in the arrival of the guests of honor, the Texas press representatives, coming to Washington from Texas.

Army Lieutenants Visit in Capital.

Lieut. Paul A. Roy, U. S. A., and Lieut. Carl B. Wahle, both of Fort Hancock, N. J., spent the week-end in Washington at the Martinique.

Mrs. John S. McCormick, with her two daughters, came here from Pittsburgh a day or two ago, and they are at the Wardman Park Hotel for the duration of their stay in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Wilhelm, of Floral Park, N. Y., are at the Martinique for a few days.

Mr. Frank Whitman, of 59 Church street, Charleston, S. C., was a visitor the past week at the Panhellenic Hotel, in New York.

Miss Katherine Sherill, of Greensboro, N. C., was a visitor at the Panhellenic Hotel in New York the past week.

Miss Caroline Ten Eyck, of Bellport, Long Island, who spends the winter months at the Martinique, has gone to Albany, N. Y., to visit friends.

Miss Diana Maxwell Blake, who is well known in Washington, D. C., and Portland, Oreg., returned this week on the Excalibur from a six-month trip to Europe, and is staying at the Panhellenic Hotel in New York. Miss Blake was met by her mother, Mrs. Ruth Maxwell Blake, who came up from Thomasville, Ga.

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Pons Recital Today Closes Dorsey Series

Famous Soprano Makes Only Bow of Season in Capital.

Lily Pons, world-famous coloratura soprano, will appear in recital at Constitution Hall this afternoon at 4:40 o'clock, making her only appearance in Washington this season as the final attraction of Mrs. Dorothy Hodgkin Dorsey's Tuesday afternoon recital series at the D. A. R. auditorium.

Among those who have taken boxes and orchestra seats for the recital are Mrs. Charles S. Alden, Mrs. Sidney Andrews, Miss Moira Archbold, Capt. George W. Abbott, Mrs. Robert Woods Bliss, Mrs. John C. Breckenridge, Mrs. James Berrall, Mrs. Paul H. Bastedo, Miss Jessie R. Blaine, Mrs. W. H. Baldwin, Mrs. Frank S. Bright, Mrs. E. V. Bookmiller.

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Recital Guests.

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Mrs. Seton Returns For Book-Talk-Tea

Mrs. Ernest Thompson Seton, of Greenwich, Conn., author, explorer, woman geographer, and former National president of the League of American Pen Women, will return to Washington to assist at the "Book-Talk-Tea" to be presented by the library science class Friday afternoon at the Wilson Teachers College.

Mrs. Roosevelt, will be the guest of honor.

Mrs. Seton, while she is in Washington, will be the house guest of Mrs. Dorothy DeMuth Watson, and her parents, the United States Marshal and Mrs. Edgar C. Snyder.

Georgetown University Marks Founder's Day With Reception

Diplomats of Thirty-five Nations Among Many Notables Present.

The formal reception at Georgetown University last night following the Founders' Day and Maryland tercentennial celebration was attended by a memorable group of guests.

Dr. Coleman Nevils, S. J., president, received in the Hall of the Cardinals in honor of the apostolic delegate, the Most Rev. Amleto Giovanni Cicognani; Gov. Albert C. Ritchie of Maryland; Mrs. Nicholas F. Brady, of New York; Mrs. Padraic Colum, of New York, and Dr. Sofie A. Nordhoff-Jung, of Washington.

The above named guests of honor had been awarded academic honors earlier in the evening, Mrs. Brady being made a doctor of laws, the first woman to receive a degree from Georgetown.

Attending the exercises and reception were the ambassadors and ministers of 35 foreign countries, members of the Cabinet and many others prominent in official, social and clerical circles.

Diplomats Among Guests.

Among them were Mr. Ahmet Muhtar, Ambassador of Turkey; Senor Don Manuel de Freyre y Santander, Ambassador of Peru; the Brazilian Ambassador and Mme. de Lima e Silva; the Ambassador of Argentina and Senora de Espil; Mr. Stanislaw Patek, Ambassador of Poland; Signor Augusto Rosso, Ambassador of Italy; Herr Hans Luther, Ambassador of Germany; the Cuban Ambassador and Senora de Marquez Sterling, the Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Saito, the Minister of Switzerland and Mme. Peter, Mr. L. Astrom, Minister of Finland; Mr. Charalambos Simopouols, Minister of Greece.

The Minister of Sweden and Mme. Bostrom, Mr. Faik Konitza, Minister of Albania; the Minister of Norway, Mr. Halvard Bachke; the Minister of Guatemala and Mme. Recinos, the Minister of Czechoslovakia and Mme. Veverka, the Minister of the Irish Free State and Mrs. MacWhite, Dr. Leonide Pitamic, Minister of Jugoslavia; Mr. Charles A. Davila, Minister of Rumania; the Venezuelan Minister and Senora de Arcaya, the Minister of Denmark and Mme. Wadsted, the Minister of Canada and Mrs. Herridge.

Senor Dr. Ricardo J. Alfaro, Minister of Panama; Senor Dr. Don Enrique Finot, Minister of Bolivia; Mr. Sao-Ke Alfred Sze, Minister of China; Senor Dr. Don Enrique Bordenave, Minister of Paraguay; the Minister of Siam and Princess Damras, the Persian Minister and Mme. Djlal, the Minister of Portugal and Mme. de Bianchi, the South African Minister and Mrs. Close, the Charge d'Affaires of Bulgaria and Mme. Petroff Tchomakoff, Nicholas Khalil Bey, the Charge d'Affaires of Egypt; Senor Dr. Don Henri de Bayle, Charge d'Affaires of Nicaragua.

Church Prelates Attend.

The Most Rev. Bishop James Hugh Ryan, rector of the Catholic University; the Most Rev. Thomas C. O'Reilly, Bishop of Scranton; the Most Rev. John M. McNamara, Auxiliary Bishop of Baltimore; the Most Rev. John B. Peterson, Bishop of Manchester, N. H.; the Most. Rev. Francis J. Spellman, Auxiliary Bishop of Boston.

The Attorney General and Mrs. Homer S. Cummings, the Postmaster General and Mrs. James A. Farley, the Secretary of Commerce and Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, Mr. Justice Van Devanter and Mrs. Van Devanter, Mr. Justice Butler and Mrs. Butler, Mr. Justice Stone and Mrs. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. James, former Ambassador to Chile and Mrs. William S. Culbertson, Dr. and Mrs. William Jennings Price, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conboy, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hamilton, Dr. and Mrs. William Gerry Morgan, Mr. George McNeir, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. James A. Farrell, of New York; Dr. and Mrs. William Holland Wilmer, of Baltimore.

Senator W. Warren Barbour, Senator and Mrs. James J. Davis, Senator and Mrs. J. Hamilton Lewis, Senator Elbert D. Thomas, Senator and Mrs. F. Ryan Duffy, Senator and Mrs. Marcus A. Coolidge, Justice and Mrs. Charles H. Robb, Chief Justice and Mrs. Alfred A. Wheat, Judge and Mrs. Joseph Cox, Justice and Mrs. James M. Proctor, Justice Jennings Bailey, Justice F. Dickinson Letts, Justice and Mrs. Daniel W. O'Donoghue, Judge and Mrs. Jesse C. Adkins.

Members of Congress Guests.

Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom, Representative T. Alan Goldsborough, Representative William R. Thom, the Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. George C. Sweeney, Mr. Stanley K. Hornbeck, of the State Department; Maj. Gen. George K. Leach, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. John H. Russell, Brig. Gen. William E. Horton, Surgeon General and Mrs. Cumming.

Mr. McCormick-Goodhart, Commercial Secretary of the British Embassy; the Counselor of the Brazilian Embassy and Mme. Accioly, with the Secretary and Mme. de Sousa Freitas, Senor Don Eduardo L. Vivot, Secretary of the Argentine Embassy; the Secretary of the Polish Embassy and Mme. Moscicki, with Mr. Edward Weintal, Attache, and Mr. Bohdan Zaniewski, Attache; the Counselor for Emigration of the Italian Embassy and Mrs. E. Bonardelli; Mr. Jules Henry, Counselor of the French Embassy, with the First Secretary, Mr. Roger Gaucheron, and Mlle. Gaucheron; the Counselor of the German Embassy and Mrs. Lietner, with the First Secretary, Mr. Ernst Wilhelm Meyer; Senor Mario Rodriguez, Secretary of the Chilean Embassy; Dr. von Numers, Secretary of the Legation of Finland; Mr. Nicholas G. Lely, First Secretary of the Legation of Greece; Mr. Per Wijkman, Commercial Counselor of the Swedish Legation, with Mr. de Borgenstierna, Attache; the First Secretary of the Norwegian Legation and Mme. Offerdahl; the First Secretary of the Yugoslav Legation, Mr. B. P. Stolanovitch, with the Secretary, Dr. Ivan Franges; the Counselor of the Czechoslovak Legation, Dr. Josef Nemecek, with the Secretary and Mme. Broz; the Financial Counselor of the Rumanian Legation and Mrs. George Boncesco, with the Secretary and Mme. Popovici and Mr. and Mme. Dimitriu; the Civil Attache of the Venezuelan Legation and Senora Urrutia, with Senorita Hercilia Urrutia; the First Secretary of the Canadian Legation, Mr. Merchant Mahoney and the Second Secretary, Mr. E. D'Arcy McGreer; Mr. Syhga Nilkamhaeng, Attache of the Siamese Legation; the First Secretary of the Legation of Ecuador, Senor Don Luis Alberto Carbo, and the Counselor of the Hungarian Legation, Mr. Anthony de Balasy, with the Secretary, Baron Paul Schell.

Mr. Bourne Weds Mary J. Jacobsen

The wedding of Miss Mary Jeanne Jacobsen, daughter of Mr. Christian F. Jacobsen, and Mr. Robert Frane Bourne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis L. Bourne, took place Saturday evening. The ceremony, which was attended only by the immediate families, was performed in the Capuchian Chapel by the Rev. Father Felix Kirsch. Easter lilies, candles and palms made an effective setting. Preceding the ceremony, Mr. William Hanon, a classmate of Mr. Bourne, sang "I Love You Truly" and "Ave Maria."

The bride was given in marriage by her father and wore her mother's wedding gown of princess lace over white satin. Her tulle veil was arranged in cap effect and held in place by a row of lace flowers. She carried a tiny old-fashioned bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Mrs. Carl K. Fink, of Long Beach, Calif., was the bride's only attendant. Her gown was of green net over taffeta with accessories to match. She carried a muff of pansies.

Mrs. Bourne had as his best man Mr. John S. Jacobsen, brother of the bride. A small reception followed at the bride's home on Decatur street, after which Mr. and Mrs. Bourne left by motor for Denver, where they will make their home.

Troth Announced Of Army Couple

Lieut. Coiner Will Wed Miss Lorraine Bell.

An engagement of interest in Army circles in Washington is that of Miss Lorraine DeCourval Bell, daughter of Col. Ola Walter Bell and the late Mrs. Bell, to Lieut. Richard Tide Coiner, U. S. A., son of Mrs. R. T. Coiner.

Miss Bell attended Holton Arms School in Washington. Col. Bell was transferred a year ago to Portland from Fort Bliss, Tex., where he had been in command of the Seventh Cavalry.

Lieut. Coiner is the son of the late Col. Coiner, who last year was stationed at Fort Humphreys, Va. Lieut. Coiner attended the Shadman School in Washington and was graduated from West Point in 1932.

The date for the wedding has not been announced.

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Young Frocks Take Washing In Their Stride

Mothers and Daughters Unanimous in Praise of These.

By Ruth Anne Davis.

MANY mothers feel it's harder to shop for their little daughters than for themselves. Perhaps they have not heard of the expert children's shopper who will call at their homes, or else receive both mother and daughter in her Connecticut avenue shop and plan the young lady's wardrobe, providing the latter is not over 14.

She designs, plans, takes measurements and shows samples of frocks. There are some in her small shop on sale just as they are. But she prefers to take orders and make special plans.

She has some perky little percales which are liked by daughters as much as by mothers. All of them are originally designed, made up in smart colors and prints, and all of them take to the wash tub like a duck to water. Percales, you know, seem to improve with scrubbing. The sizes range from those to fit 1-year-olds to 12's and 14's.

Then there are party frocks, organdies and dimities, and some lovely white commencement dresses of organdies, voiles and crepe de chines.

There is a variety in play frocks for 1 and 2-year-olds. These are priced from $1 to $2.50.

The work is impeccable, the designing original. Don't forget, you may go to her shop, or she'll call at your home.

Learn Without Failures.

Learning how to prepare new dishes usually means two or three failures before ultimate success—one reason why housewives do not experiment as frequently as they might.

This week, however, if they drop by a downtown store they can sit back in comfortable chairs and watch Miss Helen Kimball, food director for a large pie manufacturing concern, show them how to prepare any number of frozen desserts, and other unusual dishes. Miss Kimball is a gifted teacher. As one of her pupils remarked, "She not only makes it clear while you're watching her, but it's easy to remember even after you've gotten home."

Besides these free demonstrations she will give her visitors a booklet containing interesting recipes for desserts and other delicacies.

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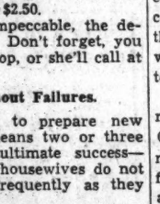
New Lamps From Old.

Parchment lampshades bought at special wholesale prices are retailing from 10 to 35 cents.

The first to meet one's gaze is not the lamp, but the shade. When this has been worn to a frazzle, is soiled, stained, torn, or bent, the lamp is as good as gone as far as appearance goes until a new shade replaces the old.



It's a simple matter to find inexpensive paper shades, but try to find parchments selling for as little as these. There are many shapes and sizes to choose from, many colors and designs. It's an ideal time to make a new lamp out of the old.

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Fifty-Cent Table.

The gift department of an F street store has an interesting bargain table. Every article on it is 50 cents. One of the most tempting is the antimony cream and sugar set, including sugar bowl, cream pitcher, and tray.

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Summer Compacts.

Compacts to match summer dresses are only $1 in a local shop. They are the flat booklike kind that fit comfortably into a crowded purse. The covers are either striped, checked, plaided ribbon, or a paisley straw weave, fitted firmly into metal frames.

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China Shopping.

Shopping veterans know that one of the most confusing things to select is china. A large department store comes nobly to the fore with a unique and practical solution to this problem.

In a small alcove just off the main glassware and china department they maintain a shopping service. The shopper explains to the salesgirl what kind of thing she has in mind. She is then seated at a table covered with a tablecloth, and the salesgirl brings out different pieces of china so the customer can get the effect of how they will appear on her own table. Also, she is able to arrive at a conclusion without fear of being "overhasty."

Call Ruth Anne Davis, of The Washington Post, National 4205, Extension 105, for further information. Or write, inclosing a stamped, addressed envelope.

Subsistence Project Will Exhibit Work

Morgantown, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—A public exhibition of handicraft articles made at the Arthurdale subsistence homestead project near Reedsville, in Preston County, will be held April 24 to 28 in Washington, according to announcement by Clarence Pickett, Federal subsistence homestead official.

This project is the first of a series of Federal subsistence homestead enterprises planned under the National emergency reemployment campaign, and was sponsored by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt. It comprises jobless coal miners, chiefly from the Scotts Run district.

Maple Sirup Flavor Puts Zest in Biscuits, Candy and Desserts

Maple Floating Island Is Something Intriguing in a Delicacy.

By Ann Barrett.

IF IT'S MADE with maple, it's a winner. Something about that maple taste puts biscuits, cakes, pies, puddings, frostings, ice cream and candies in a class by themselves. Authoress Faith Baldwin and millions more will agree to that.

This prize effect may be had with real maple sirup, maple sugar (shaved or grated), various sirups made partly of maple, or maple flavor used with ordinary sugars and sirups.

The following favorite recipes will lift the lid off the secret details. Take the quick maple-pecan biscuits pictured, for example. By the way, these are never so quick as when made with the ready-mixed biscuit preparations now on the market. But if you love to sift and mix, do so with 2 cups sifted general-purpose flour, 4 teaspoons baking powder, ½ teaspoon salt. Into this cut 6 tablespoons shortening. Then lightly work in enough milk (½ to 2-3 cup) to make dough not too soft to be handled easily.

Where the Maple Comes In.

Then roll this out about ½ inch thick. Brush with ¼ cup butter (melted) and sprinkle with 6 tablespoons of shaved or grated maple sugar, and ½ cup chopped pecans. Next roll the dough up like a jelly-roll (making a roll about 12 inches long and 2 inches thick). Then butter 8 good-sized muffin tins, put ½ teaspoon butter and 2 teaspoons maple sugar into each. Heat over low fire till buttter is melted and blended with sugar. Then drop 3 pecan halves into each tin. Next, cut the biscuit roll into 8 slices, and put one of these (cut-side down) into each prepared muffin tin. Bake in a hot oven (about 450 F.) about 15 minutes. Turn out while hot and serve upside down. A licking good item—especially if you use fingers for eating it.

Maple Floating Island.

For something quite different, here's maple floating island—a delicate dessert that even strong men yearn for. This starts off (as so many desserts do) with a double boiler. In the top of this put 1¾ cups milk. Then stir in 1½ tablespoons cornstarch (first mixed smooth in ¼ cup cold milk). Stir constantly till mixture thickens; then cook 5 minutes. Next beat 2 egg yolks a little with a fork, stir into 2-3 cup maple sirup; add to milk and cornstarch in double boiler, and cook 2 minutes more. Remove from fire, add a few grains of salt and 1-3 teaspoon vanilla. Turn into a glass serving dish and cool.

Just before serving, make poached meringues like this: Beat 2 egg-whites frothy. Gradually beat into them 3 tablespoons confectioner's sugar, and continue beating till stiff. Then drop tablespoons of this mixture on top of hot (not boiling) water. Cook two minutes. Then turn and poach two minutes on other side. Lift from water with perforated spoon and place on top of cooled mixture. Sprinkle grated maple sugar over top of meringues. It's best not to make these meringues until just before serving.

Maple Mousse.

For elegant occasions there's nothing to beat a good maple mousse. Here's how: First heat 1 cup maple sirup in top of double boiler over hot water. Then slowly pour this over three well-beaten eggs, return to double boiler and cook till thickened, stirring constantly. Next soak 1 teaspoon unflavored gelatin in 2 tablespoons cold water, and dissolve this in the hot sirup mixture. Then add a few grains of salt, set the pan in ice-water and stir mixture till cold and creamy. Next whip 1½ cups heavy cream stiff, and fold into maple mixture with ½ teaspoon vanilla. Then freeze mixture without stirring in coldest tray of automatic refrigerator. Or turn into a mold, cover, seal, and pack in 3-to-1 mixture of ice and salt. Freeze about 3 hours.

Here Are Two Recipes for Maple Frosting and Mousse.

Maple-Butter Frosting.

As for cakes, any cake at all can go de luxe with a rich maple-butter frosting. For this, first simmer 1½ cups maple syrup about three minutes, and then let it cool. Next, cream one-half cup butter. To this creamed butter add the cooled syrup alternately with 4½ cups sifted confectioner's sugar, beating constantly till the consistency to spread. This will make enough for between, top and sides of three 9-inch layers.

My newest recipe bulletin, "20 Favorite Maple Desserts," also tells the ins and outs of making maple nut-crust pie, maple marshmallow whip, maple Bavarian cream, maple refrigerator cake, maple fudge, pralines, more frostings and other good things. I hope you'll be sure to send 6 cents in loose stamps with self-addressed envelope and coupon below, to get this bulletin promptly.

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Capes to Swirl Through Spring Evenings; All Varieties, Long and Short, Will Be Worn

They Don't Crush Ruffly Dresses as Fitted Wraps Do.

By AMOS PARRISH.

NEW YORK, April 9.—When he wraps her up and takes her home after a gay spring evening, chances are it will be some kind of cape he places around her shoulders. For capes are swirling through evening fashion in a whirlwind of smartness.

Fluffy dresses are in fashion and capes are kind to a fluffy dress. Not so apt to crush the nets and crisp organdies as a fitted coat with sleeves. A good enough reason for their popularity.

But there are other reasons. Capes are easy to put on. They're wrappable . . . appreciated during breezy goings and comings. And they are becoming to almost everyone and actually flattering to many.

With Hood Back.

One of the most popular lengths of capes is shown in the illustration . . . to the hips or just below. The one in the sketch has a very new note in the hood effect at the back.

Then there are brief, waistlength wraps with cape sleeves and still briefer shoulder capes ending well above the elbow. These last are more of a decorative accessory than a real wrap.

Of course there are lots of wraps (as distinguished from capes) just as there are many dresses not made of fluffy nets or crisp organdies. Flared, swagger-length wraps which fasten high at the neck and are finished off with high, soft collars, bows or scarfs and loose sleeves, are most in fashion.

Short wraps of very loose cut with full shirred sleeves and big bow or Ascot scarf necklines are also in favor. And taffeta versions of winter's dramatic, full-length, fitted velvet wrap with sweeping skirt fullness and full top sleeves are being seen.

Mandarin Jackets.

New—or perhaps it should be called a revival—is the tailored mandarin jacket with standing band collar, one-button high closing, straight boxy cut and loose, straight sleeves. This is especially smart in plain metal cloth or bengaline.

Velvets . . . transparent, Lyons and uncut . . . velveteens, taffeta, lame and ribbed silks are all fashionable choices of fabric.

Vivid colors are the thing . . . contrasting with the dress. But pastels are particularly nice if your dress is dark . . . black, brown or navy.

Evening capes of the types described are available in Washington in all the better shops and department stores.

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Chef Rejoices At Renascence Of Fine Wines

American Foods Are Not Seasoned Enough for His Taste.

By Susan Mills.

"EUROPEAN food requires wines."

Louis Macina, chef, manager, menu-maker and owner of the restaurant that carries his name, surveyed the changes prohibition and repeal have brought to his business.

"All Italian, French and Spanish restaurants suffered during the dry days. Of course, in New York many Italian restaurants served their wine anyway; we couldn't here. But business dropped because a European menu has to have wine as an accompaniment.

More Highly Seasoned.

"Why? Because European foods are more highly seasoned than American foods, and wine is necessary to aid in the digestive process and give full flavor of the foods to the diner.

"American foods are light, but they cause indigestion and bad teeth. They aren't seasoned enough. You see, I studied medicine before I went into this business, and I know a little about what kinds of foods people should eat.

"Seasoning aids in the digestive process because it stimulates the gastric juices. Wine is good for the same reason.

"Here's another reason why the return of wines is beneficial. During prohibition people bought bootleg whiskey, drank it secretly, then dashed into a delicatessen and gulped their food. After prohibition came in delicatessens grew up like mushrooms all over the city. Today people take a couple of cocktails before dinner, then some wine, perhaps, during dinner; and coffee and a liqueur afterwards. As a result they come into a restaurant with the idea they are going to enjoy their meal. They take their time about it, and they do enjoy it, and it's better for them, too.

"I bought this property about 15 years ago. I was going to medical school here at the time, and needed money. So I cleaned the place up and put in electricity—they had illuminated the place by gas and I don't know how the patrons could see to eat.

"I started an Italian restaurant because there weren't any in Washington at the time, and I wanted to have a place where real Italian food could be served.

Spaghetti Recipe.

He leaned back in his chair and looked out of the window past the rust-colored curtains.

"One day a lady came in and she wasn't feeling very well. She ordered something and couldn't eat it. I asked her to allow me to give her some spaghetti prepared the way I liked it. So I fixed her some spaghetti this way: I chopped up a little garlic, and fried it lightly in a little olive oil, then added some chopped parsley. Then I put in the heated spaghetti and sauted it a few minutes. If you ever come home tired and can't eat very much, try a little spaghetti this way, and see if you don't like it.

"Come out into the kitchen; I'll show you another way of preparing spaghetti."

He led the way into the kitchen, took off his coat and rolled up his sleeves.

"First, I take some anchovies and wash them, then put them into the frying pan." He illustrated his talk with the action. "Then I add a little olive oil, and mash the anchovies in it, then a little diluted tomato paste. Then I heat the spaghetti, drain it, and put it into the frying pan. Then I mix them all together, and it is a dish that one would really like. So simple, too, only a matter of a few minutes.

"Yes, cooking should be easy, if one is to enjoy it."

Aside from being a cook and a restaurateur, Mr. Macina is a golf enthusiast, has played football and baseball. He is a member of Phi Beta Phi, medical fraternity.

What Today Means

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If April 10 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 10:45 to 11:45 a. m., from 3:45 to 5:45 p. m. and from 9:45 to midnight. The danger periods are from 6:45 to 8:45 a. m., from 12:45 to 2:45 p. m. and from 6:45 to 8:45 p. m.

In your social activities on this date, it probably will prove wise to carefully refrain from expressing an opinion on any topic with which you are not thoroughly familiar. If you should disregard this advice, there is a possibility of your being "tripped up" by some one who does know all about the subject under discussion, which would leave you in an embarrassing position.

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BACHELOR—*of* ARTS

By John Erskine

The Story So Far.

Alec Hamilton, Columbia freshman, likes college for two reasons, the Phi Phi Phi's and Mimi. The latter is just beginning at Barnard when her father is wiped out, financially. Instead of going home, she gets a job as cashier in a drug store. Alec assures her that the morning after initiation he will bring her a ring and the next day he will get a part time job and marry her. But the night after initiation he goes off on his first bat. He is bowled over and forgets his date. When he realizes that he has thrown down a lady he is covered with shame, especially as he hasn't enough money left over to buy the promised ring. With this experience he begins to grow up.

Meanwhile, the dean has gotten on his trail. Discovering that Alec has fallen down in his studies, he warns him that if he doesn't improve he will be sent home in disgrace. Mimi reproves him for extravagance.

Through the grilled window of her desk he thrust a letter:

"Dear Son:

"If there is an adding machine at the university, and if they will trust you with it, I suggest that you run off those debts of yours and see what they really come to.

"In this respect the error in your total was probably unintended. It is not your habit to ask for less than you need. But I strongly suspect that you owe more than you admit. In the normal course of events I should receive from you several supplementary appeals. To save your time and mine I have multiplied your statement by three.

"I decline to increase your allowance, which is already too generous. You are, or should be, almost a man now, and sooner or later you must learn to live on your income.

"But since I am unwilling that one who bears my name should be a menace to innocent tradespeople or to his friends, even though I doubt they are so innocent, I will advance one thousand dollars ($1,000), to be repaid to me promptly when you come into the money which your Uncle William most imprudently set aside for you in his will. I inclose my check.

"This is strictly on the following conditions:

"1. That you do enough work to relieve the dean of the necessity of writing to me.

"2. That you pay all your debts and incur no more.

"3. That either you get some of your fraternity brethren to teach you how to play poker, or else desist from the game.

"4. That you stop feeding Mimi, whoever or whatever Mimi may be.

"Please do not forget to write me that you have received this, and that you accept these conditions.

Mother Holds Trust.

"Your sisters are well. Your mother persists in believing that you will yet be a credit to the family."

"Isn't he a darling?" exclaimed Alec as Mimi lifted her somewhat perturbed eyes from the last line. "In an emergency the old man always rises!"

"But how did he know about me?" she asked. "Or the poker? I thought you sent him just the total."

"Oh, he got fussy and telegraphed for the items."

She looked deeply troubled. "You had no right to put me in! You didn't have to feed me! He'll think I'm cheap, just after your money!"

"Well, it won't be his first mistake," said Alec, to comfort her. "I told him the truth about the debts—they were just $362.94, and they are now paid, every one. That leaves me $637.06 in the bank."

Mimi did some hasty figuring on her pad. "Yes, that's right—$637.06."

"It's really only $587.06," said Alec, as though the difference were immaterial, "because I've drawn $50 in cash, and as soon as you're through here we'll go up to Ben Riley's and celebrate."

"Ben Riley's?"

"The Arrowhead. It's a place Jim told me about—he goes there, when he's tired of studying law. It's up beyond Van Cortlandt Park. You take the subway, and a taxi does the rest. It's quite a place, Jim says—swell food, floor, orchestra, and the leader croons through a megaphone. How about a little dancing, girl?"

He began a few steps then and there, but remembered where he was. He came around to the side of the desk, altogether serious. "It's a sort of engagement dinner, Mimi—we can get married now!"

"Oh, Alec, how I'd like to!"

"Sure we can! You said you could live half a year on $362, and here we have $637. That's a whole year, isn't it? And I have my allowance, the same as always. And before the year is out I'll be earning something, besides what we can save. And I can cut out the dormitory room; that costs a lot."

Mimi Reproves Alec.

She shook her head. "Your father won't keep up the allowance. He doesn't want you to feed me!"

Alec rested his hands on his hips and stuck out his elbows. "See here, are you marrying me or my father? Or aren't you marrying me?"

"You know I'd love to," she began.

"That's settled, then! We'll eat at Ben Riley's tonight, and tomorrow—what sort of ring would you like?"

She came out in front of the desk and stood close to him. "Alec, dear, we can't afford Ben Riley's, nor a ring. You are all I want! If we could be married I wouldn't mind being poor, but we are poor, you know—we must be awfully careful!"

"Sure! Just this one dinner at Ben Riley's, and afterward we'll watch every penny."

She looked down at her dress. "I ought to go home and change."

He saw a chance to score. "Who's talking of the simple life now? Come as you are! You look all right for the subway. I'm going this way."

He had on his white shoes, his dark, baggy trousers, a gray coat and vest, a soft shirt. No sweater tonight, but otherwise a decided note of comfort and relaxation.

"If it's a smart place," Mimi worried, "with dancing, they'll wear dinner coats."

"This child will not," said he. "Come on, clean up your desk there and we'll be off."

In the subway they would have talked, if the noise had not been too great, but Mimi spoke to him with tender glances, which he would have acknowledged if there hadn't been so many people in the car. He felt her strong young body steadying against his arm and glanced down at her radiant face. His world was changing fast.

At Van Cortlandt Park there was a taxi waiting, as Jim had prophesied, and they began climbing the hill, along the boulevard, and then with a turn to the left they emerged in the parking place in front of Ben Riley's.

Tips Driver With Ease.

Alec tipped the driver with as practiced an ease as he could assume. The size of Ben Riley's made him nervous. Outside there were dozens of cars.

"Shall I wait, sir?" asked the driver.

"Wait? We'll be here all night!"

"I'll come back for you," said the man.

"Don't bother. We'll form our plans as we go along."

Mimi pinched his arm. "Tell him to come for us at 11!"

He led her up the steps. "I don't get engaged every day."

Surrendering his hat to the girl at the check room, he ran his hand over his hair, to be sure he was ready to face the diners.

It proved an ordeal. The whole city seemed to be there, and they were in evening clothes, and they all stopped to look at Alec and Mimi as the waiter led them to a conspicuous table. Alec thought the waiter's manner offensively superior.

"Well, old girl!" he exclaimed with forced gayety, unfolding his napkin. "Now we can enjoy ourselves! What'll you have? How about a filet mignon?"

"The soup is excellent tonight," reminded the waiter, pad in hand.

"Oh, yes—soup! Have some soup, Mimi?"

The waiter kept right after him. "Would you care for some oysters, sir?"

"Why not?" Alec put down the card and leaned back, glad that the worst was over. "Oysters, tomato soup, filet mignon. For two," he added, to let Mimi in.

The waiter thanked him, removed the menus and retired. Alec cast a courageous eye around the room. Mimi whispered across the table:

"Alec, dear, did you see how much filet mignon costs? I'd be just as happy with something else!"

Alec did not hear her. He was staring at a distant object. On his face was unmistakable anger. "I'll be darned! There's that slob Jim! And he's wearing a dinner coat!"

Mimi followed the direction of his wrath. Sure enough, the first-year law student was entertaining a blonde at a table on the other side of the dancing space.

"Wouldn't you think he'd have told me they dress here?" complained Alec. "And I'd just paid him every cent I owed! That's what he's dining on!"

Mimi Tries Soft Answer.

Mimi tried a soft answer. "You look more distinguished, no matter how you're dressed. Besides, he knows you have a dinner coat. Perhaps he thought you'd resent being told to wear it."

The head waiter interrupted. "Beg pardon, sir; is your chauffeur dining here, too?"

"My what?"

Mimi explained. "He thinks you brought your car."

"Oh, I see. No; I came in a taxi."

The head waiter bowed his thanks and disappeared. Alec wiped his brow. "I don't half like this place!"

Mimi comforted him. "Even without a dinner coat they thought you might have a chauffeur. The best people sometimes dress queerly."

"He's coming over!" exclaimed Alec. "I like his nerve!"

Jim had left his blonde for a moment to greet them in innocent friendship. "Glad you found the place! It's all right, isn't it?"

Mimi smiled up at him. Alec resolutely kept his seat.

"Gladys is with me," added Jim.

"My God" exclaimed Alec. "Is that who it is?"

Mimi changed the subject. "It looks like a beautiful floor."

"Are you telling me?" inquired Jim. "I'll show you when the music starts. Alec can dance with Gladys!"

Mimi laughed, and Jim went back to his lady.

"Damn condescending, I'll say!" growled Alec.

"You're sensitive tonight," remarked Mimi. "Is it because we are engaged? I feel the same way. I'd rather keep you to myself."

"It isn't that," explained Alec.

"Oh," said Mimi, disappointed. "I hoped it was."

"No, it's his manner. He's always high-hat when he has his glad rags on.

To be continued tomorrow.

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Militant Platform of New Drys Expounded by Former Leader

Repeal Considered Unconstitutional by Reorganized Body; Action Is Their Battle Cry and They Are Confident of Prohibition's Return.

ACTION IS THE battle cry of a new political party which will have its inception in Washington today. Demanding the restoration of the eighteenth amendment, and declaring its intention of having the Supreme Court render a decision as to the constitutionality of the repeal law, the party is beginning a militant campaign through the new National Woman's Committee.

This committee, backed by millions of women, organized in 20 States throughout the country, and headed by Mrs. F. I. Johnson, author, lecturer and prohibition worker, succeeds the Woman's National Committee for Law Enforcement. It is the first step in the organization of a new political party, according to Mrs. Henry W. Peabody.

Her Work Done.

Gentle in manner, but strong in determination, white-haired Mrs. Peabody, who has led the forces against repeal for 12 years, today gives over the command to younger women.

"My work is done," she said yesterday. "I have put my faith in the women of my country and they have failed. Misled by the promises of politicians and frightened by their threats, they have aided in the repeal of the greatest protective law ever passed in this country.

"For myself, I have no fear," she added. "Nothing can hurt me now. My fears are for the children of today. When I think of them being permitted to drink until many of them pass out from alcoholism, and of being in constant danger of death at the hands of drunken drivers, I fear for the future of our country. I can not see how our people can pray, 'Lead us not into temptation,' and then expose their children to the dangers of alcohol.

Mrs. Peabody predicted the crusade of the new party would bring about the return of prohibition.

"People must wake up to their danger," she said, "And not only must they wake up, they must get up. And when they do, they will see repeal was engineered by politicians for their private gain, and not for the good of the people."

In her book, "The Kidnaping of the Constitution," Mrs. Peabody sets forth the theory that the twenty-first amendment is illegal and nullifies the Constitution.

"Repeal was not passed by legislatures, but by conventions neither representative or deliberative," she said. "It was passed by referendum.

"Such an act nullifies the Constitution, and in these times when the fate of our country is threatened by Communists and other radicals who would overthrow the Government, we are in great danger when we aid in the destruction of our Constitution."

The program of the new party will be both active and educational, Mrs. Peabody said.

"We plan to get the States to demand Federal support of a dry enabling act," she said. "We must also demand that the States enforce and prohibit traffic in liquor."

The new party will work to pass a bill forbidding alien representation in Congress, according to Mrs. Peabody.

"American women have the brains, courage and patriotism to outline a constructive plan and see it through," Mrs. F. I. Johnson, president of the new committee said. "This is not the time to ride one reform hobby; nor to exclude from militant consideration and activity, any wrong conditions which threaten the Nation.

"Nothing short of a thorough house cleaning, followed by an active organization to preserve honest representative government will satisfy the people." She concluded, "nothing short of aggressive political activity can save the country from a long night of struggle."

MRS. HENRY PEABODY gives to other hands torch of prohibition.

Keeping Posted

Spotlight on a Lady.

THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS of Congressmen's wives sometimes are lost in the background of their husband's careers. For instance, lots of folks don't realize that the charming, quiet wife of Representative Edward C. Moran—who, incidentally, was the second Democrat to come to Congress from the State of Maine—is a particularly gifted woman.

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Irene Shirley Moran has two college alma maters, Colby College of Maine, and Radcliffe. She holds the unique distinction of being the only Phi Beta Kappa among all the women in the Congressional set. In addition, she is remarkably versatile.

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She studied Prof. Baker's famous course in play-writing at Harvard University. She writes really beautiful poetry. She can make an excellent speech almost on the spur of the moment, if she has to "sub" for her husband in an emergency. She is noted for brilliant research work along historical lines. She is a talented needlewoman.

What more could one ask of a Congressman's wife?

Informal But Deft.

MATHILDE M. LEISENRING, a star member of the Arts Club of Washington and a portrait painter of National renown, had some colored pencil drawings on exhibit at the Corcoran last week. The beautifully finished quality of all her work was apparent even in these informal drawings.

Several faces of people prominent in various endeavors in Washington were familiar to the visitor who scanned this exhibit. Especially dominating was the personality of Miss Mary A. Cryder, charter member of the Arts Club and socially prominent, who has done much to establish high standards in Washington musical endeavors.

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Mrs. Leisenring has caught the distinctly individual erectness of carriage, the coiffure of fluffy white hair, and the wide-awake intelligence of Miss Cryder's characteristic expression.

Viewed from an angle this is more true than when directly before the picture. Somehow the expression is gone when the picture is inspected too closely. The colors, black and brown, are not those a close acquaintance would associate with Miss Cryder. Her colors seem rather a dark, raspberry red, a regal purple, or a subtle French pink.

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Other subjects whose personalities Mrs. Leisenring has caught with her peculiar deftness are Miss Zimmermann, whose lovely head rises well-poised from a pink-mocked throat, and Henriette Coquelet, with her "mop of curls."

A Lady Sees a Satellite.

A LADY FROM THE South was anxiously attempting to enter the Senate galleries the other day to hear some of the Huey Long debate. Every seat seemed taken; she was turning away disappointedly when the Louisiana Senator strode down the corridor surrounded by a group of men.

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The lady paused to see if there might be a chance to slip in. As she edged along behind the last of Mr. Long's contingent, she heard the guard at the door protesting the onslaught of the group, apparently without benefit of tickets.

Huey Long turned at the query and barked out authoritatively: "These men are all right. Let 'em in. They're all witnesses of mine."

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The lady stood rooted while the door swung back behind them.

"They all looked like a bunch of thugs," she told a friend a little later, "that is, all but one, perhaps. You know that little fellow who trots around with the black bag and wears those racy looking clothes?"

Who doesn't know that figure in Washington—the figure of Huey Long's special satellite?

The Silent Lady.

By Katherine Smith.

She views her giddy victim with
Mascara-deepened eyes.
A throaty "Yes" or "No" are all
She offers as replies.

He thinks it's wisdom: I suspect
That nothing more is said
Because the silent sorceress'
Ideas all are dead!

By the Simple Expedient of Sweeping the Mint $75,000 Yearly Is Saved, Divulges Mrs. Ross

Shower Baths Contribute to This Sum, Says Woman Director.

One more barrier of distance between distinguished women in Washington and their vast and approving audience throughout the Nation is broken down by The Washington Post's new radio series—"First Ladies in Washington." In this series, twice weekly, prominent personalities are interviewed over a coast-to-coast National Broadcasting Co. network.

The following morning the story of the interview appears on the Woman's Page—showing how news is developed.

By Margaret Santry.

THERE'S SWEEPING—and sweeping.

Sweeping a house may mean chasing dust. But sweeping the United States Mint means saving $75,000 yearly.

This was disclosed yesterday by Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross, first woman director of the mint, in an interview granted The Post's radio reporter at 11:45 a. m.

In mint parlance, "sweeps" include all the refuse in the form of precious metal dust that settles on the walls and ceilings, between the tiles of the floors, in the chimneys, in the clothes of mint workers, and even on their bodies—Mrs. Ross disclosed, in a journalistic tete-tete broadcast over a National Broadcasting Company coast-to-coast network from Station WRC.

Clothes Net Money.

What's more, burning up old clothes of the mint men, with their precious horde of gold dust, nets another item for the black side of the ledger. . . . Even water from the shower baths which mint workers must take each day before leaving, is saved so the residue of precious gold can be reclaimed.

All of which might be one good reason why directing the mint should be a woman's job. Especially a woman with a talent for thorough housecleaning.

It is hard to believe that a flutter in foreign exchange rates in Paris has a direct bearing on the man who stokes the boilers in the New York assay office. However, that is but one indication of the far-reaching ramifications of directing the mint service—for such a flutter can start shiploads of gold setting off across the ocean from all parts of the world—gold that must be attended to speedily.

EVERY DAY is housecleaning day at the United States Mint, according to the story told The Post's radio reporter by Mrs. Nellie Tayloe Ross, its first woman director, shown above. Even the employes get a daily shower bath.

And the gold and silver policies of the New Deal?

Here's how they affect Mrs. Ross' job:

Since January more than $5,000,000 in gold shipments have come into our New York assay office from foreign countries. Arriving in cargoes from far corners of the world—the painstaking process of checking, weighing, melting and assaying tons and tons of the precious metal requires a great deal of specialized expert work that taxes the facilities of our institutions to the utmost."

Although this gold arrives in beautifully cut bars, do you think they are accepted by Mrs. Ross and her minions at their face value? Oh no! Base metal might be secreted in a bar that should be pure gold. The bars must be melted down again by her own workers and their exact weight and fineness determined.

Uncle Sam will not be short-changed or short-weighted in his foreign gold importations if the vigilance of the United States Mint has anything to do with it.

And what about the people who work all day surrounded by millions—who afterwards go home to modest homes and budget modest Government salaries? It must take a special kind of temperament to make that quick-change adjustment in your attitude toward money, we suggested.

Workers Have Pride.

Mrs. Ross: "Since I assumed office, I have been deeply impressed with the fine spirit of the men and women employed in the mint. Some have been in our service for 40 years. They have devoted their best energies to their work—have a pride and sense of responsibility, and look upon their service in the mint as a sacred trust."

Miss Santry: "But I think I'd find it rather disconcerting to work surrounded by piles of gold, heaps of silver and other precious metals. How do the mint employes feel about it?"

Mrs. Ross: "While they realize the value of the metal in their charge, it is all so mechanical to them that handling bars of gold is as commonplace as if they were handling building bricks, as far as attitude of mind is concerned."

When we asked whether there is any chance of mint employes ever getting an opportunity to take home samples, Mrs. Ross described the elaborate precautions and mechanical devices that safeguard the Treasury's money.

Been Few Thefts.

Mrs. Ross: "It is remarkable there have been so few betrayals of trust. In every case, however, the guilty have been quickly apprehended. All the men are under heavy bond—and every ingenious modern mechanical device is employed."

As to regulations about conduct:

Mrs. Ross: "The mint regulations are detailed and intricate and cover the handling of the gold from the time it is received in the cashier's office as a crude deposit until, having passed through all the various processes, it is placed on the shelves in bars of fine gold, or sealed in sacks as shiny new coin."

Uncle Sam's money factories are well distributed geographically—in Philadelphia, Denver and San Francisco. Here are carried on the interesting processes of making gold and silver coins out of 900 parts pure metal and 100 parts copper, making nickels out of 25 per cent nickel and 75 per cent copper, and pennies out of 95 per cent copper and 5 per cent tin and zinc.

Making frequent visits to these mints to check up on operation is all in the routine of this busy lady Director of the Mint.

At a time when the United States Mint is such a great factor in the momentous financial affairs of the Nation and of the world it is significant as a tribute to the achievements of women that a woman should direct its vast enterprise.

Administrating her gigantic task with efficiency from an office in the Treasury Building overlooking the green expanse of White House lawn, this petite feminine dynamo should do much to break down the prejudice against women in high public offices.

Listen Friday for the fourth of these intimate radio interviews, to be broadcast from Station WMAL at 3 p. m. over a National Broadcasting Co. coast-to-coast network. Read the story the following day on the Woman's Page.

Georgetown Breaks Precedent; Women Get Academic Honors

Mrs. Nicholas Brady Receives Honorary Law Degree; Mrs. Padriac Colum, Dr. Sophie Nordhoff-Jung Presented With Gold Medals.

WHEN Georgetown University broke its 145-year precedent last night to confer academic honors on three women, an outstanding civic worker was awarded a doctor of laws degree, and a literary critic and a physician received gold medals.

The awards were made by President Coleman Nevils at the celebration held in joint honor of founder's day and the tercentenary anniversary of Jesuit education in America.

Mrs. Nicholas F. Brady, of New York, was the first woman ever to be given the honorary doctor of laws degree from Georgetown. Educated at the Sacred Heart Convent in Manhattanville, N. Y., and in Germany and France, she has won National prominence in this country on several accounts.

Held Many Positions.

Serving first as treasurer of the Girl Scouts of America, she later succeeded Mrs. Herbert Hoover as chairman of the executive board. She was also chairman of the committee on mobilization for human needs under the direction of Mrs. Herbert Hoover, and she is now vice chairman of the same committee under Mrs. Roosevelt. In addition to this work, she has sponsored and promoted many activities in behalf of Catholic education, for which Ppoe Pius XI bestowed on her the title of duchess in 1926. She was recently also signally honored by Notre Dame Universtiy. She is the widow of the late capitalist, and lives in Manhasset, Long Island.

Mrs. Padriac Colum, wife of the noted poet and playwright and a writer on her own account, received one of the two gold medals awarded to women last night. Mrs. Colum had previously been the recipient of a number of honors in tribute to her ability as a literary critic, among which was the Guggenheim fellowship awarded to her in 1930.

Born in Ireland and graduated from the National University of Ireland, she came to America with her husband a few years ago. She has contributed to many of America's leading magazines, including Scribner's, the New Republic and the Saturday Review of Literature. At present she is literary critic of the Forum.

Mrs. Colum was accompanied to Washington by her distinguished husband.

No Poet, She Says.

"I wish people would not think of me as a poet," she said yesterday afternoon at the Sulgrave Club. "I do almost all other kinds of writing, but I never wrote a line of poetry in my life. I leave that to my husband." Her husband, incidentally, is the author of two dozen or so volumes of poetry and plays.

The other woman to receive a gold medal was Dr. Sofie Nordhoff-Jung, of Washington, who for many years served on the Georgetown medical faculty. Although she is not a native of this country, she came here to attend college and was later graduated from the old Columbia Medical School, which eventually became George Washington University Medical School. After graduation she went to Europe, to continue her study in her chosen field.

During the war she and her husband, also a physician, established and directed the American Red Cross Hospital in Munich. She was awarded several decorations for her work in this connection. She also holds an honorary degree from the University of Munich.

The academic honors conferred last night from Georgetown were in compliance with the desire of Dr. Nevils, who will retire from the presidency of Georgetown next summer, and who wished to recognize these women who have been of service to the university.

Patriotic Society To Meet Here Next Saturday

Descendants of Barons of Runnemede to Honor Ancestors.

The 100 doughty barons of Runnemede who more than 300 years ago forced King John to sign on the dotted line will be honored here in memory Saturday.

From all parts of the United States woman descendants of the barons will come to attend the annual meeting of the National Society of the Daughters of the Barons of Runnemede. Several members from foreign countries are expected.

The meeting and luncheon will be at the Willard Hotel. Among those present will be Mrs. Robert G. Hogan, of Oak Grange, Catonsville, Md., founder and honorary president of the society.

MRS. ROBERT HOGAN rallied daughters of doughty barons.

In 1921 Mrs. Hogan, a National leader in patriotic activities, assembled a group of women in Washington and organized the Society of Daughters of the Barons of Runnemede. She served as president 12 years, being succeeded by Mrs. Julius Talmadge, of Atlanta.

Mrs. Hogan is now serving as a member of the Tercentenary Commission in celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the settling of Maryland. She is president general of the Order of the Crown in America, honorary president of the National Officers Club of the D. A. R. and member of the council of the National Society of Descendants of the Most Noble Order of the Garter in America. She also is connected with other patriotic and historical organizations.

The Society of the Daughters of the Barons of Runnemede is one of the most exclusive among patriotic organizations as its membership is restricted to women who are lineal descendants of the twenty-five barons selected to enforce the Magna Charta and of the barons who were instrumental in helping obtain the document.

Sixteen of the twenty-five sureties of the Magna Charta are represented in the Daughters of the Barons of Runnemede. Nineteen of the twenty-five had descendants.

The organization has about 300 members. Approximately 100 are expected for the Washington meeting.

Child Patriots To Hold Meet

Children of American Revolution to Gather Here on April 17.

Several hundred children and young people ranging in age from 4 to 21 years will sit as delegates in the thirty-ninth annual convention of the Children of the American Revolution to open here April 17.

The convention, always held during the week of the anniversary of the Battle of Lexington, will be at the Red Cross Building. The delegates, who will come from every State, will represent 13,000 members.

The meeting will open with an address by the National president, Mrs. C. A. Swann Sinclair. Business meetings will be held until Tuesday, April 19, when the children will be received at the White House by Mrs. Roosevelt.

During the first day of the meeting two children in colonial costume will present flowers to the Continental Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Those making the presentation will be John Augustine Washington, collateral descendant of George Washington, and Harriet Cutts, a descendant of President Madison.

The second day of the convention will be devoted to reports of projects undertaken by the society in recent years. These include the erection of the Tomb to the Unknown Soldier of the Revolution and the restoration of the Mary Ball Washington room at Wakefield. Through the efforts of the Washington family, a bed and a crib that have been in the possession of the family for nearly a century and a half were given the society for the replica of the room in which George Washington was born.

Reports of the educational work of the society will be made, some of these reports coming from child beneficiaries of scholarships.

The last day will be given over to sightseeing. At Mount Vernon the children will gather around a great oak that former children of the society planted 38 years ago and will listen to the story of George Washington's youth related by Mrs. Eleanor Washington Howard, last living person born at Mount Vernon.

Lily Pons Travels With No Attempt at Secrecy; Evasions A La Hollywood Not for This Singer

Famous Prima Donna Breezes Openly Into Her Hotel.

By Virginia Lee Warren.

SMOKED glasses, a secretarial bodyguard, secret entrances and private elevators—disguises and devices used by movie stars to elude the public gaze—are lost on Lily Pons, diminutive opera star.

When dark-eyed, honey-voiced Miss Pons arrived at the Mayflower yesterday afternoon she marched into the lobby, accompanied only by her tour manager and a couple of bell hops loaded with luggage. So matter-of-fact was the petite diva's entrance that only one or two persons in the crowded lobby were aware of her identity. Others glanced in her direction but apparently did not recognize the youthful brown and gray clad figure as the "baby" star of the Metropolitan.

While the manager went into a huddle with the room clerk, the singer, minus her pet jaguar, plopped down on a large divan and looked with interest at the scene about her. Her tiny foot tapped a restless rhythm. Soon she jumped up and leaned over her manager's shoulder like a curious child as he registered for her. There were a few rapid words in French and then the little party—Pons, manager and bell hops, almost concealed by luggage—entered the elevator and soared to the seventh floor.

Exactly three minutes later Lily Pons was ready to receive representatives of the press.

Misses Ita, the Jaguar.

An inquiry regarding the absence of Ita, her pet jaguar, who has been her constant companion for the last 19 months, brought forth a wail from the little soprano.

"I am so, so sad. I miss Ita, very, very much. I am desolate without her. But now Ita is grown up and I can not have her with me. She is so jealous. My secretary, my maid—Ita will not let them come near me. I am not afraid. Not I, But my maid, my secretary—they are afraid. And so I leave Ita behind in New York. I find a home for her at the Bronx Zoo. And every day, when I am in New York, I go to see her. When I am away I am lost without her. I am miserable."

Her enormous brown eyes were eloquent with longing for the jaguar who has grown up. No other animal can take Ita's place.

"I will never have another pet," declared Miss Pons. "The parting is too sad. I can not bear it."

In an effort to get the singer's mind off her longing for Ita, a questioner asked if she were fatigued at the end of an arduous performance in opera.

Not an Amusing Life.

"No, never," she replied. "I am very strong," and she patted her small chest in the manner of a prizefighter.

Although her work leaves her comparatively fresh, there is little fun in life for an opera singer, Miss Pons has found.

"I work and travel all the time," she said. "No parties. No fun. I can not smoke. I can not have a cocktail. I can not have Ita. It is a hard life." Her mobile features were twisted into a wry expression as she contemplated the rigors of an operatic career. She admitted, however, if she had all the leisure in the world, she would not care much about social affairs or cigarettes or cocktails. But she wants it understood she isn't the domestic, fireside-knitter that some stories about her have led people to believe.

"Domestic? No! No! No!"

And that settled that.

American audiences are just as intelligent and responsive as European ones, Miss Pons has learned. But it is the South Americans who take their opera and opera stars seriously, according to the young diva. This summer she will make her third tour of South America.

English Operas—No.

"They love music, those people," she said as her jeweled hands fluttered gracefully.

Operas will never be sung successfully in English, believes Lily Pons. She thinks French, Italian, and German lend themselves to song as our language can never do.

The reason so few American girls achieve operatic careers is they are unwilling to study, Miss Pons is convinced.

"A girl here has a voice. She studies a little. Then she gets an offer to sing on the radio or in the movies. That spoils her. She wants always to sing then. She wants to perform instead of study. That is too bad for her. I study all the time. I work all the time. I come here one day early so I can sleep and sleep and sleep before I sing."

And the slender, dark-haired, enormous-eyed little singer who is called "Ponsy" by her manager, curled up in her chair as if she could hardly wait to begin to sleep and sleep and sleep.

NO PARTIES, no cigarettes, no cocktails for a prima donna. Her life is all work, no play says Lily Pons, the Metropolitan Opera Company's coloratura soprano here to sing in recital. She hates traveling without her pet jaguar.

Stoutly Denies Rumors She's Domestic Sort of Person.

Woman Sailor Can Not Resist Charm of Sea

Norfolk, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—There is no superstition against women on ships by the crew of the Swedish steamer Flora, which sailed today for the United Kingdom with a cargo of sugar from Cuba.

There are two women in the Flora's crew—Miss Amanda Stenforss, stewardess, and Miss Selma Blanquist, cook. Miss Stenforss has been following the sea for six years. She says she and her male shipmates get along on the best of terms.

"I'm not happy unless I'm at sea," she said. "I have said several times I would go ashore and remain, but every time we get to port I want to get going again."

Miss Blanquist says she can cook as well on a ship as she can on land. The sailors like her cooking, too. When any member of the crew gets sick she prepares a dainty soup or a broth.

"You can always satisfy a man through his stomach," she declared. The vessel came in here for bunkers and the two women sent ashore several letters to be mailed to relatives in Sweden.

Radcliffe Grad Sails for Rome As Italy's Guest

When the tenth International Acturial Conference convenes in Rome May 4, Miss Elizabeth Webb Wilson, of Washington, will be the only woman delegate.

Miss Wilson, who sails this week, is one of the few women in America who have passed the actuary examination. She holds a Ph. D. degree from Radcliffe College.

While in Rome the delegates will be the guests of the Italian government. They will be entertained at Julius Caesar Hall by the Governor of Rome and will be honor guest at concerts and dinners. They also will be escorted by officials of the Italian government to Naples, Florence and other principal cities of Italy.

The delegates to the conference will include many world experts in life insurance computation.

Miss Wilson is a daughter of the late Dr. L. D. Wilson, of Washington. An aunt, Miss M. P. Wilson, lives at 3220 Seventeenth street northwest.

Nice Launches Pre-Primary Drive in West

Maryland Gubernatorial Candidate Meets G. O. P. Leaders.

Baltimore, April 9 (Spl.).—Harry W. Nice, Republican candidate for the gubernatorial nomination, left Baltimore today on a week's tour of western Maryland.

Accompanying him was Milton J. Talkin, former Assistant United States District Attorney.

At Frederick they were scheduled to confer with Austin James, chairman of the Republican State central committee for Frederick County. Nice will meet Edward Myers and Harry W. Haller, Washington County G. O. P. leaders, at Hagerstown tomorrow and on Wednesday he will confer with Alleghany County chiefs at Cumberland. On Thursday he will visit Frostburg and Lonaconing, mining centers of Alleghany. Friday he is to visit Garrett County, making his headquarters at Oakland.

Nice has been the most active contender for the Republican nomination, with H. Webster Smith, of Baltimore, as his only announced rival. His campaign, however, suffered a blow today when William P. Jackson, former National committeeman, announced he is supporting Smith.

Jackson is a political power in Wicomico County, on the lower Eastern Shore, and it is assumed he is carrying to Smith the bulk of votes in that county. Jackson, moreover, is regarded as a leader throughout the Eastern Shore, and his announcement for Smith has caused consternation among the Nice supporters.

Nice returned Sunday from a tour of the upper Eastern Shore. He visited leaders in four counties, winding up his drive in Easton. Republican leaders told him he would carry every precinct in Talbot County, and his backers also claim Caroline, Somerset and Dorchester.

Bride Finds Mate Dead by Own Gun

Roanoke Has Third Violent Death in Three Days.

Roanoke, Va., April 9 (AP).—The third violent death in or near Roanoke in as many days occurred yesterday when Field King, 23, who had been employed as a cabinet maker, fired a bullet into his brain.

Dr. G. A. L. Kolm, Roanoke County coroner, returned a verdict of suicide. King's home was at Galax. He and his wife, a bride of about three months, were at the home of his father-in-law near this city, and were preparing to return to Galax this morning. No motive for the act was known. The body was found by Mrs. King in a clump of trees near the home. King had left the house on the pretense of searching for a knife.

Mrs. Elsie Graham Craig allegedly was shot to death Friday by her husband, Fugate Craig, and on Saturday morning Alva Smith, chief deputy collector of internal revenue, shot himself as he sat at his desk in the Federal Building. He died Saturday afternoon.

EWA Will Complete 9 Frederick Jobs

138 Men Return to Work; More Back Today.

Frederick, Md., April 9 (Spl.).—Nine unfinished projects, started in Frederick County by the Civil Works Administration, have been approved for continuance by the State Emergency Works Administration, Lewis R. Dertzbaugh, chairman of the Frederick County Welfare Board, said today.

Approximately 138 men returned to work today and from 90 to 100 will go to work tomorrow.

The unfinished jobs approved are: Grading Parkway School grounds, laying curb and gutters, road through the airport field, street repairs, sewers in Emmitsburg, water main at Mount Airy, reservoir at New Market, street grading at Brunswick and alterations to buildings at the local airport. About 266 men will be given employment on these projects.

Mrs. George Armel Dead in Virginia

Front Royal, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Mrs. George Armel, 55, of Riverton, died today in Winchester Hospital after an illness of five weeks.

She was born at White Post, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Kitchen, and is survived by her husband and six children. Funeral services will be held in Riverton Methodist Church Wednesday morning.

Confederate Sons Reorganize Camp

Front Royal, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—The Warren Blues Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, has been reorganized here.

New officers are: Commander, Hugh E. Naylor; first vice commander, Wade Hunt; second vice commander, Gus King; adjutant general, W. C. Armstrong; adjutant and treasurer, George N. Buck; historian, Mark B. Turner; quartermaster, E. J. Compton; surgeon, E. L. Grubbs; color sergeant, George Wilkinson, and chaplain, A. L. Harrison.

The executive committee is composed of W. H. Hunt, R. A. Mitchell, John B. Earle, S. D. Boyd and W. W. Sonner. A membership committee consisting of B. Saxton Atwood, H. E. Martin and George B. Poe was named.

Bristol Camp Leads Drive.

Bristol, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Ironwood Camp, No. 269, Woodmen of the World, of Bristol, led all camps of Virginia in members enrolled during the March camapign, it was announced today.

Richmond-Petersburg Pike State's Most Traveled Road

Richmond, April 9 (Spl.).—The Virginia highways near Washington are no longer the most heavily traveled in the State, it is shown by the traffic map of the State highway department for 1933.

That distinction is now claimed by the Richmond-Petersburg turnpike, which comprises a portion of U. S. Route No. 1.

The new map, however, shows a large increase in traffic on the Richmond-Washington highway, also part of U. S. No. 1, despite the fact it had been thought the construction of the new Bowling Green road would divert much of the movement.

Route 15, the other main North-South road, which goes through the valley, has light travel, the map shows, and is attributed to the scarcity of large cities and more particularly to the fact that it lacks Maryland connections.

Nothwithstanding its recent completion, the Three-Chopt road out of Richmond is beginning to carry a heavy amount of traffic, and its extension from Charlottesville to Staunton is attracting heavy travel.

100 Firemen Attend School

Volunteer and Professional Men Attend Session at Martinsburg.

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—More than 100 firemen, paid and volunteer, from eastern West Virginia towns and cities in Maryland and Virginia were present here today for the two-day "fire school," which will close tomorrow.

The school is being sponsored jointly by West Virginia University, the Martinsburg Fire Department, State fire marshal's office, and the West Virginia inspection bureau.

L. V. Carpenter, of the extension division of West Virginia University and director of the series of "fire schools" through the State this spring, gave demonstrations on fire hazards. Robert Criswell, of the West Virginia and Ohio inspection bureau; Chief J. W. Just, of the Western Actuarial Bureau, and Plummer Pride, safety engineer, West Virginia Department of Mines, were among the other instructors.

State Fire Marshal Fred Watkins, of Charleston, was unable to attend. A public meeting was held tonight.

Bigger Highway Signs Urged to Guide Fliers

Richmond, April 9 (Spl.).—Highways will aid skyways in Virginia if a suggestion from the Roanoke College Aeronautics Club is adopted by James H. Hayes, jr., State inspector of railroads and airports.

The club recommends that all roads carry their numbers in markings 15 feet high so that a flier would need only a Virginia road map to locate his route.

Bristol Colleges To Hear Notables

Bristol, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Commencement exercises of Bristol's three colleges will bring unusually prominent speakers to the city this spring.

Bishop Edwin D. Mouzon, of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon and address at Sullins College.

Dr. Francis P. Gaines, president of Washington and Lee University; Dr. Raymond B. Pinchbeck, dean of the University of Richmond; Dr. George T. Waite, executive secretary of the Baptist Board of Missions and Education, Richmond, and possibly George F. Zook, of Washington, United States Commissioner of Education, will speak during the Virginia Intermont College finals.

Dr. R. F. Campbell, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Asheville, N. C., will preach the King College baccalaureate sermon on Sunday, May 27. Junior oratorical contests will take place Saturday night, May 26; senior oratorical contests the following Monday night, and finals for a record graduating class of 27, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Davenport Heads Lancaster Garden Setup

Lancaster, Va., April 9 (Spl.). Mrs. Irene Davenport has been appointed garden director for Lancaster County under the FERA subsistence program. She will cooperate with Miss Virginia Forbes, county relief director, and C. Carter Chase, county agent.

Chairmen selected for district committees include Mrs. V. R. Chowning, of White Chapel; Mrs. Clarence Clark, of Mantua, and Mrs. J. E. Currell, of White Stone.

Davis Speaks on Ballads.

Danville, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Dr. Arthur Kyle Davis, jr., archivist of the Virginia Folklore Society, spoke last night at Averett College on "Ballads and Folk Songs of the South."

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Prices, Attendance Soar, Cash Plentiful At Maryland Sales

Frederick, Md., April 9 (Spl.).—The highest prices in years have been obtained for horses, farming implements and machinery at public sales this spring, according to auctioneers.

Record crowds also have been reported, and at most of the sales purchasers have paid cash instead of giving notes. John L. Dutrow, auctioneer for 54 years, said his 20 sales this spring have drawn larger attendance and prices far in advance of other years.

Horses have sold for from $180 to $225. Another auctioneer reported receipts of $3,000, of which $2,740 was cash. Public sales in adjoining counties have been largely attended and live stock and machinery have brought unusually high prices.

Wilbert L. Smith, president of the Farm Bureau, said he attributed the high prices to the fact that horses have become scarce all over the country and also to the fact that many persons from cities have located on small farms and are doing their work with one or two horses.

Strasburg Silk Mill To Be Opened Soon

Strasburg, Va., April 9 (Spl.). The Strasburg Silk Mill committee, a group of citizens who have been trying for a year to have the silk mills here reopened, today announced it had reached an agreement with a Northern silk concern whereby a mill employing 100 persons, with a monthly pay roll of $5,000, will be opened soon.

Although the committee refused to divulge the identity of the manufacturing interests, it stated the new mill will be known as the Strasburg Silk Mills, Inc. It will be located in the old mill property.

Court Orders Dummy Notes' Cancellation

Girl, Former Bank Employe, Testifies Officials "Used" Her Name.

Frederick, Md., April 9 (Spl.).—Three notes for the purchase of securities, aggregating $114,912.96, made to the Central Trust Co. in 1931 by Lena Shry, then an 18-year-old employe of the bank, were canceled by an order filed today in Circuit Court by Judges Urner and Willard and directed to John G. Ghingher, receiver of the bank.

The securities purchased were $15,000 par value of Central Securities Co. collateral trust notes, $15,000 par value of Frederick Iron & Steel Co. first mortgage serials, $20,000 par value of Pittsburgh Investment Co. Building Co. first and refunding notes, 300 shares of People's Fire Insurance Co. of Maryland capital stock, all purchased January 12, 1931; 400 shares of Sterling Securities Corporation convertible preferred stock, purchased at $21,025 February 19, 1931, and 2,000 shares of F. H. Smith & Co. preferred stock, represented by three certificates. These latter certificates were collateral pledged on the note of S. J. Henry, which had previously been given to the trust company, when Mr. Henry failed to pay the note the bank held the collateral and then bought in the collateral. The receiver will retain the notes, which have been in his possession, and will take over the collateral pledged for them.

Appearance of Miss Shry, who is now Mrs. Luther Kline, before the court Saturday morning and the subsequent order followed testimony as to the notes, which was taken in June, 1932, in the trial of the bank's president, Emory L. Coblentz, at Cumberland, and at the hearing of the Smithsburg bank merger, in August of the same year here.

Miss Shry testified she had been requested by Grover L. Michael, vice president of the company, to sign some notes in which her name was to be used as a "straw name," but she did not know much regarding the transaction. Mr. Michael testified that his request was made at the suggestion of Mr. Coblentz, that one of the younger unmarried girls at the bank give a note for the securities, since officials of the Fidelity and Deposit Co., of New York did not want the securities, which were pledged as collateral, to be entered in the name of the bank, but rather of an individual. At Mr. Micheal's suggestion, a letter was given to Miss Shry, confirming the agreement, and stating that the bank would accept as interest on the notes any coupons and dividends accruing from the securities, and would accept the securities in full payment.

The petition to release Miss Shry, who has since come of age, from liability was filed by her father, E. W. Shry.

Krout Death Case Speeded At Hagerstown

Grand Jury Meets Monday; Sherley Slaying Third Family Tragedy.

Hagerstown, Md., April 9 (Spl.). Immediate trial for Claude H. Krout, 47, charged with the murder of Owen D. Sherley here Saturday night, was indicated today by State's Attorney J. Lloyd Harshman.

Krout's case will be investigated by the grand jury when it convenes next Monday and several days will be permitted counsel to prepare the defense.

When Sherley was shot, he was the third member of his family to meet a violent death. Sherley saw his brother, John, killed in 1906, when a grass sickle he was sharpening slipped from a polishing belt, the point piercing the jugular vein.

In 1916, Sherley saw his sister, Mrs. Vallie Anderson, crushed to death when a section of the Hotel Vivian, under construction, collapsed.

Sherley's slaying was the third tragedy within one block on Jonathan street last week. Sherley's widow said she had a premonition after the second tragedy and warned her husband, whom she knew had an argument with Krout earlier in the week. She said her husband scoffed at the idea.

Charlotte Hudson, 17, was shot to death earlier in the week by Harold Hall, former prohibition agent, and Ralph Boyer, former bank cashier, committed suicide.

A hearing for Krout scheduled for this afternoon was postponed because Krout was ill.

University Will Close Lectures at Roanoke

Roanoke, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—A lecture here tomorrow night by A. J. Hale, assistant professor of history at the University of Virginia, will conclude a series on public affairs given by the extension department of the university.

"Liberalism, Fascism and Communism" will be the subject of his address.

Cadets Voluntarily Oust "Rat" System, Tradition at V. M. I.

Lexington, Va., April 9 (AP).—Abolition of the "rat" system at Virginia Military Institute was announced today by Maj. Gen. John A. Lejeune, superintendent, who said the action was taken voluntarily by the cadet corps.

The "rat" system, designed to make the freshmen walk the "straight and narrow path," although never officially recognized, has been a part of the cadet life at V. M. I. for almost the age of the 95-year-old institution.

"We told the cadets that certain unwise features of the rat system could not be tolerated and continued," Gen. Lejeune said. "They said that without such practices the existing rat system could not be maintained, so they decided to abolish it."

L. D. Gerhardt, Jr., War Veteran, Dies

Rites Set for Tomorrow in Martinsburg.

Martinsburg, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.).—L. D. Gerhardt, jr., 45, former deputy clerk of Berkeley County Circuit Court here, World War veteran and active in military affairs, died this morning in Mount Alto Veterans' Hospital, Washington, after a brief hospitalization. A spinal infection was the cause.

He held the rank of captain in the U. S. Reserve Corps, and was a member of both the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Surviving are the parents, Attorney and Mrs. L. D. Gerhardt, this city; the widow, formerly Miss Grace Widmeyer, this city; one son, L. D. Gerhardt 3d, and one brother, Capt. William Gerhardt, U. S. A., at Aberdeen, Md.

Services will be conducted from the home Wednesday afternoon.

Credit Adjuster Dies Waiting for Elevator

Baltimore, April 9 (Spl.).—Russell M. Amtower, 34, native of Keyser, W. Va., dropped dead in a building here today while waiting for an elevator.

He had been a credit adjuster for a Baltimore concern for several years, and served overseas in the World War. A father, Samuel Amtower Keyser, survives. Interment will be at Arlington National Cemetery, Washington, Wednesday, after Masonic services here tomorrow night.

Son of Former Virginia Editor Is Dead at 63

Nathaniel Tyler Succumbs on Baltimore Visit; Lived in N. J.

Baltimore, April 9 (AP).—Nathaniel Tyler, about 63, son of the late Col. Nathaniel Tyler, who during the Civil War edited the old Richmond Inquirer at Richmond, Va., died here today at the home of his brother, Alfred Tyler.

Mr. Tyler, a resident of Short Hills, N. J., came here to visit his brother last Tuesday. He was taken suddenly ill with pneumonia, which caused his death. At Short Hills he was in the insurance and real estate business.

A family funeral service will be held here tomorrow and burial will be in Hollywood Cemetery, Richmond, in the family plot.

Tyler had lived in Short Hills about 25 years. Prior to that he was connected with the Geological Survey at Washington. He was a former president of the Short Hills Club and the Short Hills Association, social and civic organizations.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Caroly Clark Tyler; two sons, Nathaniel jr. and Orville A. Tyler, of Short Hills; two sisters, Mrs. William B. Rhett, of Garden City, Long Island, and Mrs. William C. Marshall, of Warrenton, Va., and one brother, Alfred Tyler, of Baltimore.

Thieves Steal Car To Haul Cash Box

Libertytown Garage Safe Also Ransacked.

Libertytown, Md., April 9 (Spl.). Thieves broke into the Liberty Garage, owned and operated by H. Bruce Hammond, yesterday, and after ransacking a safe which contained no money, hauled away the cash register in a car stolen from Mr. Hammond.

The robbers entered the building from a rear window and unfastened the door. Searching the unlocked safe, they scattered its contents over the floor, pocketed a gold watch and unfastened the cash register containing several dollars in change and departed in the stolen machine.

A car stolen from the garage of Eugene Hammond in the same neighborhood was found abandoned near the edge of town.

A. G. Rutherford Funeral Is Held

Winchester Man 15 Years With B. & O.

Winchester, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Funeral services were conducted here this afternoon for Albert G. Rutherford, 66, who died on his birthday anniversary, Friday, at his home, north of here. Burial was in a local cemetery.

Mr. Rutherford, for 15 years connected with the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Baltimore, retired to his ancestral home, Locust Grove, several months ago. He was arranging for work on the place when stricken with a heart attack.

He was married twice. His first wife, the former Miss Florence Virginia Boyd, died several years ago, and his second wife, the former Miss Ella May Violet, also is dead. Surviving are the following children: John A. Rutherford, of Winchester, Mass.; Misses Camilla, Violena, Florence and Cornelia Rutherford, of Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Pacco Gluck, of Hollywood, Calif.; Mrs. C. D. Wehchel, of Gainesville, Ga.; Misses Alma and Dorothy Rutherford, of Winchester; William Rutherford, also of Winchester, and Vernon E. Rutherford, of New Oxford, Pa. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. M. P. Ebert, of Stephenson.

20th Man Near Death In Lynchburg Blaze

Lynchburg, April 9 (AP).—Little hope was held today at Lynchburg Hospital for Pat Smiley, 40, of Charleston, Mass., burned in the Federal Transient Bureau here two weeks ago.

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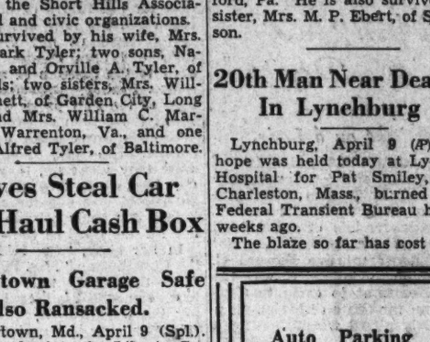

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428 Students Here Receive Federal Help

Emergency Relief Funds Pay Needy Youths Who Work.

U.S. Spends $1,017,612 Monthly on Program, Says Hopkins.

A total of 528 students in District colleges and universities are being helped through the student-aid program of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration, Harry L. Hopkins, relief chief, disclosed yesterday.

The local students are part of a National total of 70,000 receiving aid from the program. Approximately $5,780 is allotted monthly for the District schools, according to Hopkins. The National cost of the program is $1,017,612 monthly.

In the various institutions, students selected on the basis of scholarship and need are given jobs by the schools. The students are paid with Federal funds, turned over to their alma mater by the local State relief administration. The funds are distributed at each school by the president.

Hopkins disclosed that George Washington University is leading the local program, with 175 students receiving $2,625 monthly. The second largest group is at Howard University, where 109 students receive $1,635 a month.

The other local schools were listed as follows: Miner Teachers College, 53 students, $795 monthly; Washington College of Law, 1 student, $15 monthly; Wilson Teachers College, 47, $200; American University, 29, $300, and Catholic University, 14, $210.

Hopkins reported the program saved the educational hopes of thousands of worthy students who otherwise would have been forced to discontinue their schooling. The work required ranged from unskilled labor on repairs to technical assistance in scientific laboratories and libraries.

The largest single program reported was that of New York University, where 1,329 students receive $19,935 monthly. The next largest was found at the University of California, where 1,281 students are receiving $19,215 a month.

Halt in Reich Payments Seen

Schacht Warns Creditors Germany Can Not Meet Transfers.

Basel, Switzerland, April 9 (AP).—Creditors of Germany were informed today by Dr. H. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank, that a "temporary interruption" of transfer payments appeared inevitable because heavy purchases of raw materials have exhausted available foreign exchange in Germany.

A committee, on which the United States, Great Britain, Holland, Sweden and Switzerland are represented, tonight expected to ask Dr. Schacht to give the Reich's point of view and present suggestions as to how the situation can be met.

Creditors blamed Germany itself for the instability of the mark. It was contended by Germany that the creditors should accept a moratorium on transfer payments in order to ease exitsing exchange problem.

If transfers are haltede for th "temporary" period, Dr. Schacht said was necessary, there would be an interruption of the payment of amortization and interest on long-term private debts.

Manchukuans Block Far East Olympics

Shanghai, April 9 (AP).—Manchukuo, Japanese-protected empire carved from China's northeast provinces, which brought war clouds hovering over the Far East, today extended its disturbing influence to amateur sports and threatened to disrupt the tenth Far East Olympics at Manila May 12-19.

With the Nationalist government of hiang Kai Shek supporting their stand, hinese delegates to a conference here to discuss the games threatened to withdraw if Japan insisted on inclusion of athletes from Manchoukuo.

One Small Ad
Sells Two Kittens

Mrs. James P. Schneider, of 612 6th street northeast, recently ordered a two-line insertion in the Classified Section of The Washington Post, advertising pedigreed blue Persian kittens for sale. Although this small ad appeared only one day, it produced customers for two kittens!

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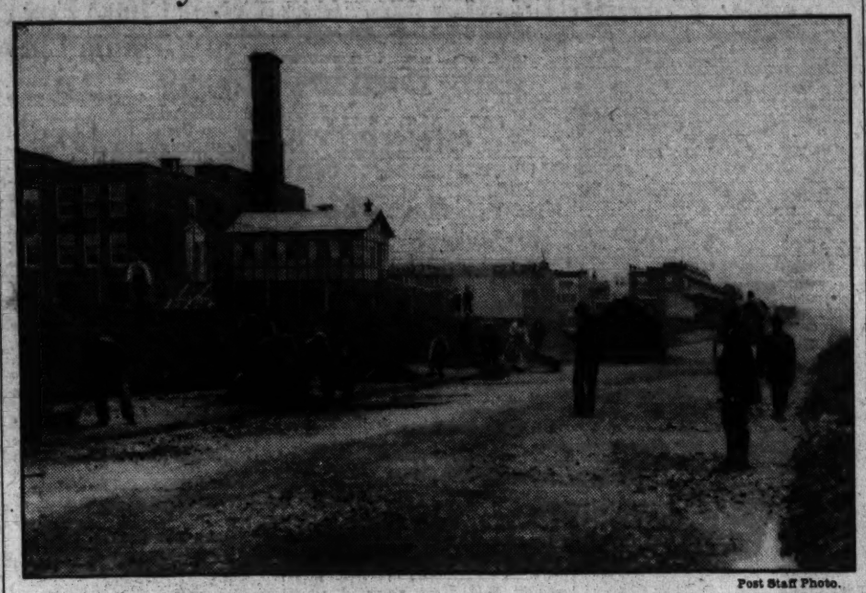

Post Staff Photo.

More men yesterday made use of some of the 14,000 work cards sent out by EWA last week, and activities were well under way in half a dozen sections of the city. Some of the men are shown engaged in improving C street northeast, near Nineteenth street.

Sears, Roebuck Cut-Rate Tire Price Assailed

Many Rivals Here Facing Ruin, Trade Board's Examiner Told.

Many tire merchants have been threatened with ruin through sale of Goodyear manufactured products at cut-rate prices by Sears Roebuck & Co., a Federal Trade Commissioner examiner was told yesterday.

P. B. Ennis, tire dealer, of 1324 Fourteenth street, testified major manufacturers sold "gyp" tires to dealers, intent on meeting competition arising from sales tactics of Sears Roebuck & Co. He described gyp tires as low priced and of inferior grade.

Ashby Leath, president of Washington Tire Dealers Association, declared All States tires sold by the mail-order house at 35 per cent below the list prices of nationally advertised tires were made by Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., and were "equal in quality to all first-rate tires."

Sals Sales Decline.

Sales of all other retail dealers fell to negligible proportions, he testified, when the local trade war reached its peak shortly before Easter, after extensive advertising by Sears Roebuck & Co. He protested the mail-order house sold tires at retail in some instances for less than similar goods could be bought at wholesale by independent dealers.

One grade of Dunlop tires, handled by Leath, cost the distributor $4.95, as compared with a price of $4.69 charged the public for a similar grade tire by Sears Roebuck, Leath complained. He explained his company was unable to meet the price because it would be impossible to operate on such a narrow profit.

"The Sears Roebuck advertisements," Leath said, "upset the Washington tire industry. Most of the companies tried to meet the competition with their second-line tires. If this continued, I would have to go out of business unless I received backing from the Dunlop people."

Leath said independent dealers "would sell few tires" and would be financially threatened unless Sears Roebuck abandoned its present policy. He cited a decrease in the gross sales of his tire department from $71,795 in 1929 to $14,213 in 1933.

Forced to Quit.

Ely H. Griffith, former operator of tire and oil stations in Washington and Baltimore, testified Sears Roebuck tire prices forced him to go out of business here. He added his sales at one time totaled $20,000 a year.

Ennis stressed the difficulties of dealers in meeting trade-in allowances granted by Sears Roebuck. He testified he could meet the Sears Roebuck competition on a 10 per cent price differential, but not on a 35 per cent basis.

John W. Bennett, trial examiner, presided at the hearing into citation of the Goodyear Rubber Co. for alleged violation of the Clayton act through price discrimination in favor of Sears Roebuck.

Policeman Called To Explain Why He Shot Kinkajou

The policeman who shot and wounded a harmless Ecuadorean kinkajou, enjoying a brief "back to nature" spree in the 2100 block of P street northwest, Sunday night, will be ordered to file a report to Police Chief Ernest W. Brown.

Milton A. Elliott, owner of the tiny animal, complained to Maj. Brown that the action of Policeman Elmer Dalstrom, of the Third Precinct, was "uncalled for."

The kinkajou was shot after creating several minutes' excitement among P street residents. Tail-hanging exhibitions afforded much amusement to a crowd of spectators. Unable to overtake the fugitive and believing it dangerous, Policeman Dalstrom fired, the bullet nicking the kinkajou's neck.

The animal, a pet of Elliott's daughter, escaped from their home in the 1400 block of Twenty-first street northwest.

1,000 Assigned to Jobs; 14,000 Quota Expected Within 10 Days.

The Emergency Works Administration yesterday assigned approximately 1,000 new workers to jobs on various projects, but there yet remains 6,000 relief seekers who have received cards, but have not yet reported for work, it was announced last night.

Capt. Howard F. Clark, executive officer of the EWA, expects that the full quota of 14,000 will have been reached within the next ten days. Long lines of workers gathered at the woodyard yesterday and kept an enlarged staff of clerks at work until 10 o'clock last night.

Channel Yields Body of Youth; Friends Held

Coroner to Determine if Presgrave Died by Drowning.

The body of Vernon Presgrave, 18, of 1355 Wisconsin avenue northwest, found floating yesterday in the Washington Channel at the foot of Eleventh street southwest, lay in the District Morgue last night while police held two friends with whom Presgrave was last seen March 15, for this morning's inquest.

Coroner A. Macgruder MacDonald yesterday performed an autopsy on Presgraves, then announced he would have the contents of his stomach analyzed to determine whether the youth was drowned.

A graduate of Eastern High School, Presgrave was employed as a driver by a bakery at 116 Twelfth street northeast. On the night of March 15, after his day's work was finished, he went out with his two companions. Yesterday they told officers they had gone through Southwest Washington, and done "considerable drinking."

Presgrave left them shortly after midnight, they said. They declared he seemed "quite all right."

Harry Shorter, of the Capital Yacht Club, discovered the body in the water. He summoned aid.

The youth lived with his mother, Mrs. James Hansen, and his stepfather. He also is survived by a half-brother, Kenneth Hansen.

"Liar!" Oil Man's "Monopoly" Reply

Fisticuffs Near at NRA Review Conclave.

(Associated Press.)

A charge that various members of the planning and coordination committee for the oil industry were "agents of monopoly," was met yesterday by Wirt Franklin, one of them, with a challenge to the accuser:

"You're just an unmitigated liar."

Franklin arose, in the NRA review board's hearing room, and started toward the witness who made the charge, J. Edward Jones, of New York, but friends stopped him. Jones said:

"There have been harsher things than that said over this issue."

He had reiterated that the committee was "dominated" by monopoly. Louis Titus, counsel for the committee, tried to draw from him the names of the companies he said constituted "the monopoly." He charged that the Standard of New Jersey, Gulf Oil Corporation, Shell, Tidewater Oil Corporation, Texas Corporation, Atlantic Refining Co., Cities Service were members of the monopoly.

Titus asked for names of committee members whom Jones would describe as "agents of monopoly." Jones listed Amos L. Beatty, Franklin, Russell Brown, secretary of the committee; Henry Dawes, C. E. Arnott, Axtell Byles, William H. Holliday, James M. Moffatt and Howard Bennett.

Soviet, Japan Issue Haunts Geneva Parley

Committee to Decide Whether Conference Will Be Called.

Geneva, April 9 (AP).—Russia and Japan assumed vital positions in the disarmament question tonight, on the eve of a session of the steering committee of the moribund World Disarmament Conference.

Their relations strained in the Orient, the two countries apparently are watching each other's armament moves closely.

Japan has resigned from the league, sponsor of the conference, while Russia is not a member.

Upon the steering committee will rest the decision of whether the conference, which went on the rocks when Germany withdrew last year, shall be called again into session.

With the road to disarmament strewn with big boulders, delegates appeared not too optimistic. There appeared the probability that Great Britain will try to push France toward reduction of arms as the price of effective guarantees of French security, asked of London by Paris. One bar to unanimity has been France's refusal to agree to German rearmament.

The British fear, it was stated, that the United States may make recognition of the League of Nation's blockade against an aggressor nation dependent upon signature of a convention for reduction of armaments.

Hugh R. Wilson, American Minister to Switzerland and delegate to the conference, conferred at length today with Arthur Henderson, of Great Britain, conference president, and also with Naotake Sato, Japanese Ambassador to Paris.

Some leaders, in view of Russo-Japanese relations, believe disarmament must be handled primarily as a European problem. This project, which would legalize German rearmament and constitute a remodeling of the Treaty of Versailles, presupposes liberty for Russia to arm without restraint in Asiatic Russia, because of the possibility of Japan's refusal to participate in a treaty.

D. C. Finance Bill En Route to House

Debate on Capital Budget to Start Tomorrow.

The District appropriation bill will be reported to the House late today by the the Appropriations Committee, following a meeting this morning. Debate will begin tomorrow and last probably two days.

District estimates as submitted to Congress by the Budget Bureau provide just under $36,000,000 for the next fiscal year's budget.

Adoption of the bill is expected before the end of the week.

Rolland to Wed Secretary.

Berne, Switzerland, April 9 (AP).—The engagement of the 68-year-old novelist, Romain Rolland, to marry his secretary, Madam Koudacheff, was announced today. Rolland won the Nobel prize in literature in 1915.

Patman Hits Insurance Bill As Taxi Blow

Opposes Compulsion if Independent Drivers Are Penalized.

Higher Fares Seen if Adopted; McLeod Plan Favored.

Opposition to any compulsory insurance law for taxicabs, which would "penalize independent operators and increase the rates charged the public," was voiced yesterday by Representative Patman (Democrat), Texas, chairman of a subcommittee of the House District Committee, at a hearing on pending bills.

Patman explained that he would accept a bill which would require operators to take out insurance after they had been proved at fault in a traffic accident, just as the McLeod bill proposed for all District motorists.

Following the hearing it was indicated that the subcommittee would report favorably to the full committee on the McLeod bill, but would withhold action on the taxicab insurance measure until a new bill can be drafted by taxicab interests and District officials.

Higher Fares Admitted.

Riley E. Elgen, acting chairman of the Public Utilities Commission, admitted at the hearing that a compulsory insurance bill probably would increase the present zone rates but not more than 5 cents.

Ringgold Hart, former assistant corporation counsel and counsel for the Diamond Taxicab Association, proposed a scheme whereby the taxi companies could carry their own insurance funds or bonds sufficient to meet all court judgments.

Spokesmen for the independent operators contend, however, that such a system would penalize them as they would have to pay full insurance rates or a hige fee for a bond.

Backed by Van Duzen.

Coorporation Counsel E. Barrett Prettymen declared that the District Commissioners favored both automobile liability bills. Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer also appeared in the interest of the bills.

Representatives of several citizens associations, taxicab companies, and organized automobile owners associations also participated in the hearing.

Actress Tells of Night Beating, Gets Divorce

Los Angeles, April 9 (AP).—Testifying she was awakened from a sound sleep and given a beating by her husband, Florence Lawrence, screen actress, today was awarded a divorce from Henry Bolton. The couple married November 27, last, and separated February 7.

Youth, 18, Is Hunted As Child's Kidnaper

Chicago, April 9 (AP).—Police were searching today for a youth of about 18, who was reported to have kidnaped 3-year-old Dorette Zietlow by offering to "find her a nickel."

The child's sister, Lois, 12, told police she and her sister were playing yesterday when the young man seized Dorette's hand and ordered her to come with him. When she held back and began to cry, Lois said, the youth offered to "find her a nickel."

Pact Upheld

Jameson Widow Loses Fight no Prenuptial Contr

Because she had received in excess of $103,000, the District Court of Appeals yesterday declined to permit Mrs. Margaret A. Pollock, widow of Thomas A. Jameson, any dower or other interest in his estate, which was valued at approximately $500,000.

It was shown, the court said, that Jameson had signed a pre-nuptial agreement and had fully carried it out. After his death his widow challenged the legality of the instrument and the District Supreme Court ruled against her. She received $35,000 in insurance, a $35,000 settlement, and real estate. Jameson died in March, 1932. He was married December 7, 1930.

He Who Makes Trolley Passes Hits D. C. Weather Just by Luck

Post Staff Photo.

Washington's most popular artist—the fellow who designs the street-car passes—is in Milwaukee. The passes are manufactured in the Wisconsin city. Miss Esther Fletcher, of the Capital Transit Co., is pictured looking over some of next week's supply.

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Each pass in tune with weather and season. Here's one example of the way the Capital Transit Co. is helping make Washington "art conscious."

Cards Made in Milwaukee, and Designs Are of Ancient Vintage.

"Now son," the city editor said, "go out and interview Washington's most popular artist. Get a story. You know of whom I speak?"

"If you mean St. Gaudens, he is dead. Perhaps you are referring to the man who makes the $20 bills," the reporter replied. "But if it's a riddle. I give up."

"I mean the fellow who is designing the street car passes," the city editor answered. "He is selling 50,000 copies a week.

"Ask him where he gets his ideas and especially how they always seem to coincide and be in tune with Washington's tricky weather. Is he a forecaster?"

He's in Milwaukee.

The reporter caught a car for Georgetown and the Capital Transit Co., where he was confident he would find the artist drawing up his next week's pass.

Into the office of John H. Hanna, the president, he marched and asked: "Mr. Hanna, may I see the genius. I mean the artist, man or woman, who designs the passes."

"I am sorry, sir, I can't oblige," the street car president replied, "the man you seek here is working in the city known for beer."

Mr. Hanna went on to say that the passes are made by the street railway company of Milwaukee, Wis., which has a print shop that has been manufacturing passes for years.

Weather Forecast "Just Luck."

The company there, he said, is affiliated with the North American Co., holding company which has part of the stock of the Capital Transit Co. here.

Mr. Hanna said the cards being sold in Washington probably were being printed from designs used in previous years at Milwaukee. And it is just a matter of luck that they strike the weather right.

On Sunday, April 22, the street car firm will issue a new type of pass for an eight weeks' trial. Selling for 25 cents, this pass will allow one adult and two children unlimited Sunday riding on street cars and buses.

Sales of the passes, which seem to have given the trolleys a new lease on life, are mounting. Sales for this week were 54,021, or nearly double the sale when they were first offered in December.

Rep. Weideman Flays "Rotten" Schools in City

Old Buildings Menace Health, He Says, Urging Changes.

Harsh denunciation of the District public school system was expressed yesterday by Representative Weideman (Democrat), Michigan, member of the House District Committee.

Urging civic organizations to bring pressure on the District Commissioners and the board of education so that they will demand larger appropriations by Congress for new schools, he called attention to what he termed "rotten conditions."

Many of the school buildings are obsolete and insanitary, he said, and menace the health as well as disrupt the education of pupils.

"Washington, of all cities, should have a model school system," he said. "It is certainly far from model now. I have made a personal inspection of a number of school buildings and have reached the conclusion that conditions are rotten."

Weideman cited the Jefferson Junior High School, where, he said, the railroad distracts the children with the constant shifting of freight cars. In addition, he said, the school lacks sufficient corridors.

Dr. Frank W. Ballou, superintendent of schools, was blamed by the Michigan Representative for the present inadequacy of the school buildings.

Mrs. Julian Hints Fund To Bury Husband Lost

Winnipeg, April 9 (AP).—Surprise was expressed by Mrs. C. C. Julian here today when she read a report from Shanghai that no money had arrived there to pay for the burial of her husband, former oil operator who committed suicide.

"There must be some mistake," she said. "I sent $200 to the British consul general in Shanghai through the bank some time ago for this purpose."

Rheem Note Holders Lose Under Ruling

Loan Paper Is Declared Not Eligible to Priority.

$375,000 Trust Fund Decision Upheld by High Court.

Decision of the Supreme Court of the District dismissing a note holders' suit, which sought to have the release of a $375,000 first trust set aside and declared a prior lien in the case of Swartzell, Rheem & Hensey Co., was upheld as valid yesterday by the District Court of Appeals.

In sustaining the lower court's verdict, the Appellate Court refused compensating payment to persons who purchased notes secured by the trust.

The case involved the Ponce de Leon Apartments, which was erected by David L. Stern through financing by the Swartzell, Rheem & Hensey Co., which went into bankruptcy before the note holders had been paid.

Original Trust Released.

Stern, in obtaining the construction loan, made it payable to an official of the Swartzell firm at the firm's office. Thereafter he conveyed the property to the Abner Drury Co., and the latter refinanced it by securing a $325,000 loan from the New York Life Insurance Co. and a note of its own for $44,375. Following that the original trust was released by Edmund Rheem and Luther Swartzell, trusttes, and the insurance company loan was made a first trust, prior to all other encumbrances.

Swartzell, Rheem, and Hensey failed to pay the notes to the individual purchasers, but did credit them with the amount of their notes on the company's books. The proceeds of the refinancing were used by the firm for its "own purposes" and when bankruptcy came it had expended it all.

Court Dismisses Suit.

The Supreme Court of the District dismissed a note holders' suit which sought to have the release set aside and the trust be declared a prior lien. The Apeellate Court agreed with the dismissal because, first, the payment was properly made to the trustees who gave the release, and secondly, because, if there was a loss it was "occasioned by the Swartzell Co., which, after collecting the amount of the outstanding notes, failed to pay the same to the note holders. The insurance company which took the mortgage now in question was not responsible for this default."

Pointing out that "where one of two innocent parties must bear a loss, such loss is imposed upon the one whose conduct made the loss possible," the Appellate Court held that the loan had been repaid according to its terms and that the note holders must look to the Swartzell firm for repayment.

Big Oil Firms Act To Regulate Quotas

Refinery Plan Expected to Be Offered Ickes.

New York, April 9 (AP).—It was reported in Wall street today that representatives of the major oil-refining companies have agreed upon a plan for controlling refinery operations. The agreement followed a two-day session.

The plan, it was understood, will be offered as an alternative to that of the oil administration. This proposal will be made formally on Wednesday when the refiners confer with Secretary Ickes.

The plan is said to provide for dividing the oil-refining industry into eight districts and giving each district a gasoline quota.

'Coasting' Are We? Say Police And 401 Drivers Coast to Court

All-Time Week-end Mark Set as Bailiffs Hang Up SRO Sign.

Ticket, ticket, who got a ticket?

If record-smashing activities of the police Traffic Bureau continue, the answer will be unanimous.

An all-time record for week-end arrests was set yesterday, with 401 motorists booked at police headquarters for traffic violations. An additional 158 autoists were apprehended throughout the precincts.

It was "standing room only" in Police Court. Until late afternoon Judge John P. McMahon listened to various and assorted excuses as to why automobiles were parked overtime, double or beside a warning sign—as the case might be.

The tiny courtroom was jammed. Only the fact that many motorists forfeited collateral saved the day. Had one more driver appeared to answer charges, it was predicted he would have been unable even to find a place to stand. Minor parking violations headed the list.

While Judge McMahon sits in Traffic Court, traffic policemen are out to secure "a clean bill of health." The judge, in a recent court statement, scored the Traffic Bureau for "coasting" on the job.

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Nats Make Their First 1934 Showing Here Against Braves Today

Linke, Filley To Toil on Mound

Cronin Will Use Game as Test for Young Hurlers Seeking Jobs.

Beaneaters, With Berger as Star, Promise Real Contest.

By Shirley L. Povich
(Sports Editor of The Post).

THE informal unveiling of the 1934 Washington Ball Club is at hand today when the travel-worn Nats of Manager Joe Cronin begin playing ball for home consumption and approval against the Boston Braves in the first of a series of exhibition games in the East that will keep the club occupied until the zero hour next Monday.

At Griffith Stadium, where the Giants laid waste to his ball club last October, Cronin will present with one exception the same line-up that outdistanced the rest of the league last season. The exception is Johnny Stone, who replaces the prominent proboscis of Goose Goslin in right field, although Catcher Luke Sewell, who is humoring a battered finger, will be exempt from the exhibition games.

On display in the pitcher's box will be a pair of young hopefuls who are shooing away the ugly specters of another season in the minors—Mark Filley, the college lad from Albany, and Ed Linke, the reformed Chicago fat boy who is bent on dieting his way back to the big leagues.

Real Test for Filley.

The sword that will cut him loose from the majors and send him back to Albany is dangling by a thread over the head of young Filley, who is still the property of the Albany Club, which is crying to get him back due to the scarcity of pitchers. An impressive performance today, however, may cause Cronin to exercise the Nats' option on him and give him a contract.

The Nats will be playing one of the better clubs in the National League in the Braves, who were entertaining hopes of the pennant last season until early September, when the Giants invaded Boston and flattened the Redskins in four out of five games of the "croocial" variety.

Rabbit Maranville's broken leg was a body blow to the Braves' hopes this season, but Washington fans will be glimpsing an important National League personage in Walloping Wally Berger, the Braves' outfielder whose extra-base hitting stamps him only second to Chuck Klein as the batting terror of the league.

They'll get a look, too, at the new model for the U. S. Army blimps in Shanty Hogan, the Boston catcher, whose width of girth makes him as easy to step over as walk around. Hogan has applied himself to serious training this season and is now down to 290 pounds.

Daily Exhibitions Due.

Cronin will apply the finishing touches of training to his ball club during the next six days, when they play daily exhibition games. His regular pitchers will polish off the rough edges starting tomorrow, when Walter Stewart faces the new edition of the Brooklyn Dodgers under Casey Stengel in the first of a three-game series at Griffith Stadium.

The three skirmishes with the Dodgers will carry the Nats up to Saturday, when they play the Pirates at Pittsburgh. En route home for the season's inaugural with the Red Sox on Monday, the Nats stop in Baltimore for a Sunday game with the Orioles.

Runs, Hits and Errors.

Cronin refuses to name his opening-day pitcher . . . but Crowder will feel insulted if he isn't the choice . . . the Nats were barred from the main dining room of their Chicago hotel . . . because they weren't formally dressed . . . the Washington Club discontinued the $4-a-day eating allowance for each player because some of the boys were dining out in joints that caused great wear and tear on the digestive organs . . . Chicago raised havoc with the boys' Biloxi tan . . . Johnny Stone's presence with the Nats raised the average good looks of the club by several degrees.

Celanese Diamonders Hold First Workout

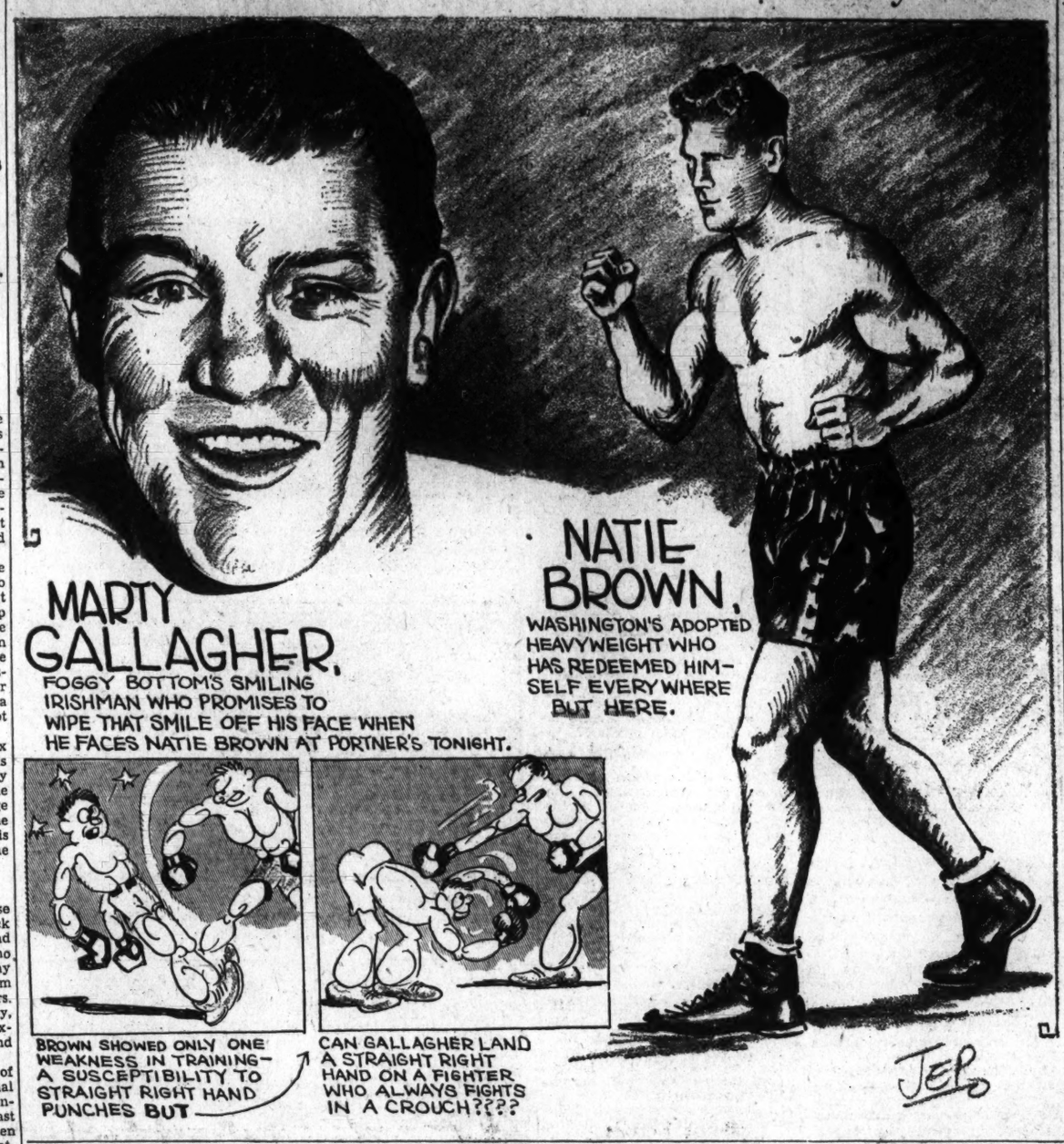
Cumberland, Md., April 9 (Spl.). Manager "Wibby" Garlitz's Celanese Athletic Association tossers of the Interstate Baseball League reported yesterday for their initial practice session at Celanese Field on the McMullen highway.

Twelve of the 24 candidates under contract are infielders, four outfielders, six pitchers and two catchers.

They are: Catchers, Blaine McKenzie and Thomas Morgan; pitchers, James K. Stewart, R. G. Donaldson, Franklin Wolfe, Roy F. Scott, James Cunningham and William E. Crane; infielders, Lawrence McKenzie, Dan Thomas, Joseph E. Geatz, E. Cecil Warnick, William Retsky, Ellis Bone, Richard E. Driggs, Willard Ambrose, W. C. Cook, John Thomas, Alvin Gentry and George Beal; outfielders, James McPartland, William Scarpelli, Arch Cameron and Montgomery.

The Celanese A. A. has arranged home-and-home games with the Midland Indians and Lonaconing Athletics of the Cumberland and Georges Creek League, before the opening of the Interstate League season.

Across the Potomac —*By Pierotti*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WASHINGTON'S ADOPTED HEAVYWEIGHT WHO HAS REDEEMED HIMSELF EVERYWHERE BUT HERE.
BROWN SHOWED ONLY ONE WEAKNESS IN TRAINING—A SUSCEPTIBILITY TO STRAIGHT RIGHT HAND PUNCHES BUT
CAN GALLAGHER LAND A STRAIGHT RIGHT HAND ON A FIGHTER WHO ALWAYS FIGHTS IN A CROUCH????
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Fighters Set For Battle Tonight

Brown, Gallagher Figure to Stage Best Portner's Fight of Year.

Green, Baby Charles in Promising Six-Round Semifinal Bout.

WHAT with Marty Gallagher, Foggy Bottom's smiling Irishman, promising to wipe that smile off his face when he faces Natie Brown, and the latter guaranteeing to knock the smirk off Marty's physog, tonight's ten-round battle of behemoths at Portner's promises local fans a bit of the most elegant fisticuffing unveiled since Ben Chapman and Buddy Myer made passes at each other in the ball yard.

The usually genial Mr. Gallagher has been knocking ears, noses and other essential bits of physical equipment off his spar mates in the gymnasium the last few days in preparation for his campaign to disintegrate Mr. Brown when the actual action starts. Mr. Brown, who is always ready to knock a chip off a shoulder or a block of a boxer has undergone a very thorough and grueling training seige which has worked him to a state of physical perfection in which he has to be guarded very closely to prevent him from going around biting stray dogs and frightening little children.

Rated About Even.

Physical condition being equal, members of the checker-vested gentry who risk more or less nominal amounts on the outcome of box fighting contests are wagering 6 to 5 and take your choice on who will murder who—or who will live to tell the story.

Brown has shown only one noticeable weakness in workouts. Against sparring partners, he has proven susceptible to straight right-hand punches, of the sort that Gallagher employed to lay low one Dewey Kimrey, an upright glove-slinger who employs a John L. Sullivan fisticuffing pose. Brown has given no indication of forsaking his customary weaving and bobbing style, which is perhaps just as well.

Gallagher has always encountered difficulty with this type of fighter. His best performances have been turned in against the stand-up-straight type, against whom he encounters no difficulty in getting in close to deliver his punishing short blows Whether he will be able to deliver a straight right against such a peripatetic target remains to be proven within the squared circle.

Brown Has Good Left.

Brown's main stock in trade, aside from his puzzling style, is a first-class left hand which sizzles from all directions. He uses the portside flipper to bewilder and bedevil the opposition into position for a smashing right cross, with which he has accumulated most of his knockouts. Whether Gallagher will be able to get past the barricade set up by that left hand remains another thing to be settled only between the ropes.

In a six-round semifinal, Joe Green meets Baby Charles. Both local lads are rising rapidly in the featherweight ranks—and there isn't room for them both at the top of the local heap. Two other sixes find Petey Bevan battling Al

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Crows Chase Fox On Virginia Links

Richmond, April 8 (AP).—They don't keep any horses or hounds at the James River course of the Country Club of Virginia—and it is just as well they don't.

Take it from Bobby Cruickshank, club pro, who swears the story is true. Bobby, shooting a foursome this afternoon, heard an almighty racket of cawing and flapping and whatnot. He and his three companions looked for the cause—and found it.

Six or seven crows, Bobby wasn't sure about the number, had a large gray fox on the run across one of the greens. Bobby says they were giving him a "fit."

The little Scot added that Aesop or no Aesop, the fox was not carrying any cheese in his mouth.

Ross to Meet McLarnin May 28

15-Round Battle Booked; Site Not Determined for Title Clash.

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP).—Jimmy McLarnin, the Vancouver Irishman who holds the world welterweight title, today agreed to defend his crown against Lightweight Champion Barney Ross in a 15-round bout at a site yet to be determined. The New York State Athletic Commission promptly sanctioned the bout.

The title meeting will be promoted by the Milk Fund, the manager of which said it probably would be staged in Madison Square Garden bowl on May 28.

The contracts will be signed tomorrow.

The athletic commission, which previously had ordered both boxers to defend their titles against other opponents, made each agree to carry through the previous orders within 90 days after their championship bout.

McLarnin, therefore, must defend his title, if he still holds it, against Bep Van Klavern, the Flying Dutchman, and Ross must meet Frankie Klick, of San Francisco, recent knockout conqueror of Kid Chocolate.

The McLarnin-Ross fight has been "on the fire" for several months, the weight consideration being the main barrier. Ross agreed for McLarnin to come in at 147 pounds, the division limit. The lightweight titleholder thus will be giving away from 5 to 10 pounds as his fighting weight is around 136, the lightweight limit.

Bluefield Collegians Again Plan Baseball

Bluefield, W. Va., April 9 (Spl.). Bluefield College is resuming varsity baseball after being out of the game for several years and practice has been started by candidates under the direction of Mullie LeNoir, coach.

While the schedule is as yet incomplete, LeNoir plans to open the season with a game at home April 20 and to continue a series until commencement time. He has lined up 20-odd players of promise and experience, and hopes to build up an unusually strong team.

Coach LeNoir has had much experience in baseball. He starred at the University of Alabama, played two seasons with Columbus in the American Association, and was with teams in the Florida State and Texas Leagues.

This Morning

With Shirley L. Povich.

In Retrospect.

HEADING for Biloxi, March 3 . . . with only one ball player on the train . . . and he the property of the Albany club . . . the natives at the station in Biloxi . . . with the Chamber of Commerce Band doubling in brass . . . and the guy who yelled "Hurray for the Giants" to spoil the parade through the town . . . the first practice . . . and those rookie pitchers whom Cronin never knew by name . . . ten days of solitary confinement with pitchers and catchers . . . and then the arrival of the regulars . . . the growing suspicion that Cliff Bolton was indeed a holdout . . . the unconditional surrender of Kuhel, Manush and Whitehill in Griffith's salary conference room . . . the strange spectacle of Ossie Bluege wearing spectacles in uniform . . . and the vicious temper of Laddie Bluege, the Bluege wolfhound . . . young Cecil Travis at the crest of his popularity with Cronin . . . threatening to shove Bluege off third base with little more ado . . . and getting all the assignments in the regular infield drill . . . with Bluege calm and composed and biding his time . . . with never a show of apprehension that he wasn't the club's regular third baseman . . . pieces in the paper about Elmer (Yoohoo) Klumpp, the rookie catcher, who was making Bolton rue the day that Klumpp came into his life . . . the Bolton holdout situation getting downright serious . . . with Griffith adamant and mouthing the principles involved . . . shrimp barred from the players' tables by Trainer Mike Martin . . . whose own plate was heaped high with seafood . . . shrimp restored to the menu the next day by Manager Cronin . . . Ed Chapman's sore back . . . and Bob Burke's annual sore shoulder . . . Earl Whitehill slaving with the medicine ball and setting the pace for the hard workers . . . Altrock and Schacht still avowed enemies . . . with Moe Berg the best friend of both and the go-between . . . Buddy Myer with his second and third chins rapidly disappearing under the influence of his rubber shirt . . . the first exhibition game with the Biloxi Browns . . . and Johnny Stone's lusty socking . . . Dave Harris pounding the ball up against the left field fence and hoping that Stone and Sington and Dugas were looking . . . Al Crowder's successful fishing trip to the market around the corner from the hotel . . . and the visit of the Cleveland Indians to Biloxi . . . when trade winds began swirling about the heads of Griffith and Billy Evans . . . and Griffith shouting that he wouldn't swap Buddy Myer for the whole Cleveland team . . . the southpaw Ray Prim commanding the serious respect of Cronin, Griffith and the correspondents by conducting himself like a big leaguer . . . that two-day vacation in New Orleans, where the Nats dropped two to the Indians . . . and looked at the swell pitching of Willis Hudlin . . . and were thankful that Luke Sewell's finger was bruised, not broken . . . the sad departure of Alec McColl and his sore arm to Chattanooga . . . and Griffith, with one paternal arm across the shoulder of Freddy Sington, breaking the news that he was released to Albany . . . Gus Dugas slamming the ball hard and winning a contract . . . baseball night at the Biloxi Theater . . . with Griffith daring the correspondents to sing "Sweet Adeline" on the stage . . . and the latter's spokesman arising in the audience with the excuse that it was a bit too early in the evening . . . bye, bye, Biloxi . . . to Memphis for a game with the Chicks . . . and the Nats walking away with it after getting 11 bases on balls . . . to Chicago and the swell Edgewater Beach Hotel . . . with Dave Harris' stomach ache cured by his triple in Memphis . . . pinning back Guy Bush's ears to win the first game with the Cubs, 8 to 3 . . . and losing the second game to Lon Warneke and Chuck Klein, 5 to 2 . . . Chicago fans tumbling over themselves to cheer Klein's home run in the eighth . . . the night train for Washington . . . the best home run of 'em all.

5 Capital Golfers Play in Virginia

Richmond, Va., April 9 (AP).—Five Washington golfers were ready tonight to tee off tomorrow in the invitation tournament of the Country Club of Virginia, to be played over the James River course with winter rules prevailing.

Eighty-nine entries had been received when the pairings were announced today by Charles A. Withers, chairman of the tournament committee. Johnny Dawson, Chicago ace, will play with Billy Howell and C. B. Walden, jr., while Chandler Harper, of Portsmouth, Va., winner of the amateur title at the Cavalier open, is paired with W. E. Wiltshire and Bobby Reigel, local stars.

Washingtonians playing in the tournaments were paired as follows:

10:30 to 11 a. m.—Dr. John Bullard, C. C. of Va.; W. M. Kochenderfer, Columbia C. C., Washington; Thomas J. Crowell, Beaver Dam, Md.; Eugene Gott, Columbia C. C., Washington.

2:10 p. m.—Thomas D. Webb, jr., Washington G. and C.; Doug Call, C. C. of Va.; W. R. Seward, Petersburg, Va.

2 p. m.—John Davenport, jr., C. C. of Va.; Ricks Kerr, C. C. of Va.; Capt. Randall J. Fielder, Washington.

2:30 p. m.—Luther C. Steward, Congressional Club, Washington, D. C.; Marion McCarthy, Portsmouth; Tom Somerville, Farmington C. C.

Connelly and Price Win In Match

Public Links Pair Down Nee-Detweiler, 3 and 1, in Rock Creek Play.

JOHNNY (RUSS) CONNELLY, well-known municipal golfer, bounded back into form yesterday at Rock Creek course, and shot a 73, as he and Al Price, diminutive home pro, defeated Maury Nee, young Columbia star, and Billy Detweiler, of Congressional, 16-year-old District junior champion, 3 and 1, in a special match.

After an erratic medal round in the Rock Creek Open tournament last week when he failed to qualify for the first flight, Connelly hit his shots in old-time form to score a 36 on the first nine, a 37 on the second. He had 12 pars and a birdie, and a rebellious putter caused him to three-putt three greens. Nee, fourth ranking District golfer, shot a 35 going out, but took 40 strokes coming in for a 75. Price had a 76, and Detweiler 79.

Price Makes Deuce.

Connelyy and Price won the third, fourth and fifth, the latter on the wings of Price's birdie deuce, to go 3 up. Nee's par 4 gave his side the seventh, and on the 462-yard par 5 eighth, Nee scored the first eagle of the year on this hole with a tremendous drive, a great spoon second, and a 4-foot putt, Nee won his third hole in a row on the ninth with a par 4 to even the match.

Connelly had three consecutive threes starting with the eleventh, and personally won two holes in a row. Nee and Detweiler played poorly on the fifteenth and sixteenth, and Price and Connelly shot par 3s on the seventeenth to win the hole and end the match.

A return battle is scheduled for Columbia.

Their cards:

Out—par	4	4	3	4	3	3	4	5	4	—34
Dettweiler	4	5	4	5	3	3	5	5	4	—39
Nee	5	4	4	5	3	4	5	3	4	—37
Connelly	4	4	3	4	3	3	5	5	5	—36
Price	5	4	3	5	2	4	5	5	5	—38
In—par	4	3	4	3	4	5	3	4	4	—34—68
Dettweiler	5	5	4	4	4	6	4	4	4	—40—79
Nee	4	4	5	4	4	6	5	4	4	—40—75
Connelly	6	3	3	3	5	5	5	3	4	—37—73
Price	5	3	4	4	5	5	4	3	5	—38—76

Wee Davey Thomson teamed with Tommy Webb, jr., yesterday at Washington Golf and Country Club to defeat Al Houghton and W. McCallum, 2 and 1. Thomson batted for Roland Mackenzie. Houghton and McCallum spotted their opponents 1 up on each nine. Houghton furnished the fireworks with a blasting 68, 2 shots below par. He was out in 34 and back in 34, with out-of-bound penalty strokes on the fourth and seventeenth holes.

The Kenwood pro finished with a sensational birdie 3. Thomson had 72, McCallum 76 and Webb 77.

Houghton's card—

Out	4	3	4	5	4	3	4	4	3	—34
In	3	3	5	4	3	4	5	4	3	—34—68

First team matches of the Women's District Golf Association will be resumed this morning at Kenwood. Congressional took the lead last week by scoring 12 points against Washington.

Red Sox Picked to Surprise In American, Poll Shows

Associated Press Scribes Look for Grove to Pull Boston Club to Third; Nats Favored, With Yankees Rated Runners-up.

NEW YORK, April 9 (AP).—Compared with the 1933 results, the most striking feature of the 1934 American League pennant poll, tabulated today by the Associated Press, is the fact that the majority of experts look for the Boston Red Sox and Philadelphia Athletics to swap places in the standing of the clubs.

It is no surprise that the major league writers and sports editors—97 of 'em, all told—pick the champion Washington Nationals and New York Yankees to run one-two again, but it is a novel testimonial to the prowess of Robert Moses (Lefty) Grove, sore arm or no sore arm, that these observers consider him goo denough to supply the main motive power in hoisting the Red Sox from seventh to third place this year.

Last in Money in 1918.

The Boston club hasn't even been in the first division since 1918, when the late Harry Frazee began wrecking their last championship team. Outside of Grove and his former teammates, Rube Walberg and Max Bishop, the Red Sox ownership has not supplied any startling changes or additions, but the experts, nevertheless, vote them the most improved team in the league. In fact, eight habitues of the big league press coops are optimistic enough to pick Boston to capture the pennant.

Simultaneously the Athletics, shorn of all their erstwhile pitching aces, are selected to best no club except the Browns and thereby consigned to seventh place. The A's were third last year. They have not been out of the first division in the past nine years, but the verdict of the critics is that the renaissance is over, so far as Philadelphia is concerned, just at a time when the populace was supposed to become enthusiastic over the return of Sunday baseball.

Nats Picked to Repeat.

Although the Nationals enjoy a substantial margin of preference in the eighth annual pennant poll, they are not conceded a walkaway by the backers of the Yankees. Of the 97 experts balloting this year, 49 name Washington to repeat and 38 pick New York to ride back to the top.

Next to the surprising Red Sox, the Detroit Tigers are labeled the most improved club and picked to land in fourth position. The Cleveland Indians, who were fourth last year, look ready to give the Tigers a real argument on this subject.

The poll's second division line-up, in order, consists of Cleveland, Chicago White Sox, Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Browns. The "box score," showing the choice by positions for each club follows:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Nationals	49	36	9	3	.	.	.	.
Yankees	33	45	11	6	2	.	.	.
Rox Sox	8	8	29	21	18	10	3	.
Tigers	5	5	22	28	15	12	8	2
Indians	0	7	17	14	18	21	16	10
White Sox	2	1	6	13	18	30	17	10
Athletics	0	1	3	9	25	19	24	16
Browns	0	0	0	3	1	5	29	59

Pinehurst Tennis Is Stopped by Rain

Only Two Matches Played as Tournament Starts.

Pinehurst, N. C., April 9 (AP).—Rain halted the annual North and South tennis tournament today after two first-round matches had been played.

Giles Verstraton, of Jackson Heights, Long Island, defeated Charles Gill, of New York, 7—5, 6—2, and Armand Bruneau, of Brooklyn, won over Alvin Sulloway, of Concord, N. H., 6—4, 6—4, in the only matches of the day.

Leading candidates for the Davis Cup team headed the field of more than 60 candidates entered in the annual event. Frank Shields was the only one of the seeded stars scheduled to see action today.

Others entered are Lester Stoefen, Wilmer Allison, George M. Lott, Gregory Mangin and the Canadians, Marcel Rainville and Walter Martin.

Cliff Sutter, of New Orleans, who won the singles championship last year, is not defending his title.

Southwestern Virginia Golfers Meet April 17

Pulaski, Va., April 8 (Spl.).—The annual meeting of the Southwestern Virginia Golf Association will be held at Maple Shade Inn here Tuesday, April 17, according to information issued by officers. The meeting will be preceded by a luncheon.

Election of officers, plans for the annual tournament, with schedules of play and rules, will occupy the meeting.

Clubs comprising the association are Mount Airy, N. C.; Saltville, Galax, Abingdon, Wytheville, Radford and Pulaski.

Luray High Nine Plays Miller Today in Opener

Luray, Va., April 9 (Spl.).—Luray High School will open its baseball season here tomorrow afternoon in a game with Miller School of near Crozet, Albemarle County. Nothing can be learned of the strength of the visiting team, as it has never played Luray before.

Luray, which had an unbroken record for winning last year, goes into the game with five veteran players. Positions filled by newcomers are catcher, second base, center and right field. Henderson Morrison is manager of the team.

Chattanoogans Win From Yanks

4-1 Loss Third in Row for New Yorkers; Browns Nose Out Dodgers.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 9 (AP).—The New York Yankees dropped their third successive game today as the Chattanooga Lookouts of the Southern Association pounded out a 4-to-1 decision.

The major leaguers were limited to six hits, their lone tally materializing in the eighth when Earl Combs, who had supplanted Babe Ruth in left field, singled, Gehrig walked and Ben Chapman singled off Pitcher Syd Hensiek's glove. For the first six frames, the Yanks were blanked by Lefty Leon Pettitt, who handed out only four scattered hits.

Lefty Vito Tamulis, making his first start of the season, was the victim of all the Lookouts' runs. He worked six innings, giving way to Johnny Murphy.

Browns Beat Dodgers.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 9 (AP).—The St. Louis Browns took advantage of three of the Brooklyn Dodgers' five errors today to win the final game of their four-game series, 6 to 5. The game was called at the end of the seventh to allow the Dodgers to catch a train for Richmond.

The American Leaguers scored all their runs off Bob Edwards in the first four innings. Two of the Dogrers' three runs in the first inning resulted from Frederick's Homer. In the fourth, with the bases empty, Berres parked the ball over the fence.

24 Runs Scored in Game.

Albuquerque, N. Mex., April 9 (AP).—The Pittsburgh Pirates and Chicago White Sox set a new scoring record for their spring exhibition tour here this afternoon with a total of 24 runs. The White Sox brought in 17 and the Pirates 7.

Chicago's American League team whacked two Buccaneer pitchers for 21 hits, while their teammates combed the offerings of a pair of Pale Hose for 15.

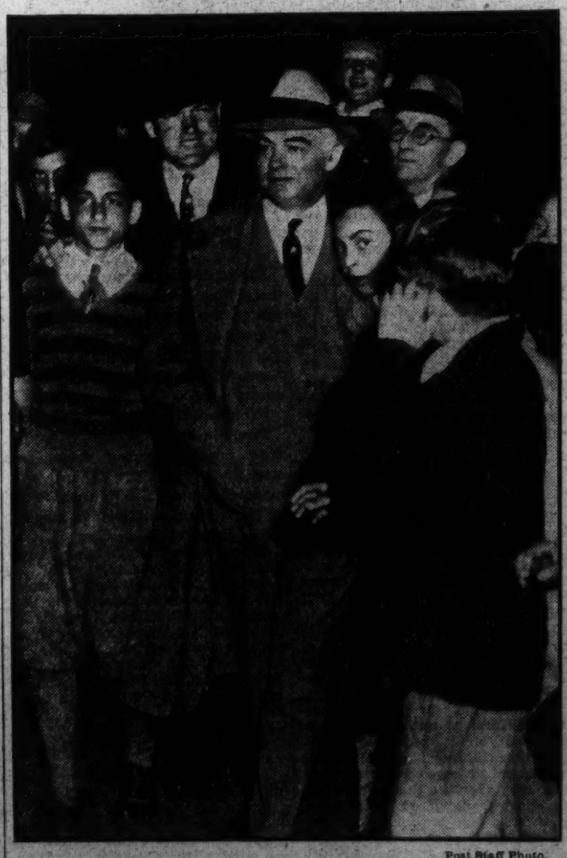
Cy Blanton went two innings for the Pirates, giving way to Ralph Birkofer, who finished the game. Sad Sam Jones pitched five innings for the Sox and Les Tietje finished up.

Al Simmons hit three two-baggers in four trips. Arky Vaughn, Pirate shortstop, continued his assault on moundsmen by getting three singles in three trips.

Cab Nine Busy.

The Premier Cab Association Unlimited Baseball Team will hold a practice session tomorrow on the East Ellipse diamond at 4:30 p. m. An outfielder is needed by the cabmen and candidates are asked to report. The cabbies are booking games with out-of-town teams for Sundays only, and are booking games for practice for Wednesday and Fridays. Call Manager Louis Evry at Lincoln 1329.

At the Nats' Homecoming



Post Staff Photo.

Joe Cronin (left) is pictured with youthful admirers as he left Union Station yesterday. Edward B. Eynon, jr., secretary of the Washington Club, in the center.

Questionable Decision, Form Reversal, and 30 to1 Winner Thrill Bowie Fans

Renick Fined For Abusing Judges

Rider Too Strongly Objects as St. Nick Gets Verdict in Third.

Brass Monkey Awakens in Feature; Miss Morrocco Pays $62.50.

By Walter Haight.

ONE of the most questionable decisions rendered in Maryland racing history, the awakening of Brass Monkey in the feature race, a riding "triple" by redheaded Jimmy Hunter, and the triumph of the Washington-owned Miss Morocco at a $62.50 mutuel were the highlights of Bowie racing yesterday, as 7,000 looked on. The sour verdict probably will be discussed when the other angles are forgotten and deserves first treatment.

The situation involved Rock Point and St. Nick, the setting was the third race, and the booing was virtually unanimous. Those in the press box, the chartmakers upstairs, and the crowd in general gave Rock Point credit for winning by a good head. However, the number displayed on the mutuel board was a big 6, which designated St. Nick as the winner.

Booing of a volume not heard in this vicinity since the Al Simmons incidents at the ball park, greeted the decision and echoed through the hills until well onto time for the fourth race.

Urges Test for Judges.

One excited fan among the hundreds who crowded toward the judges' stand, yelled, "Give them judges the saliva test."

Jockey Johnny Renick, who rode Rock Point, yelled abuse through the window as he weighed out and then threw his tack in the middle of the race track and walked back to the jockeys' room shaking his head.

He was still shaking his head two races later when the stewards sent out a notice that he had been fined $50 for using too many adjectives in describing the judges.

St. Nick ran away with the race for most of the route, opening up a lead of from six to eight lengths on the turn for the stretch. At the quarter pole, St. Nick began to tire and Rock Point, the favorite, moved up. At the mutuel board, Rock Point went to the front by a narrow margin and from all appearances kept the advantage.

Opposition Is Poor.

The fifth race, regarded as the feature on the dull program, brought Brass Monkey's first victory in many moons. The plater, always a tip, but seldom close during the winter, did not run such a great race. He won because his opposition ran below usual form. However, his margin was two and a half lengths over Fabius which, in turn, was six lengths in front of War Tide. Brass Monkey, last until reaching the far turn, went to the front with a rush on the last bend and emerged on top to be eased at the finish.

It was Hunter's third riding success of the day.

Color Bearer in Front.

The Labrot Stable's Color Bearer was the winner of the first race by a length margin over Blackbirder and Hannah Anne. The contest over the 4-furlong baby sprint course was between Hannah Anne and Color Bearer for most of the route, with that pair running in the order named. In the stretch, the pacesetter began to wilt and Hunter shot Color Bearer into the lead. Blackbirder's rush nipped Hannah Anne for the place money. Bank Holiday, the favorite, failed to get to the leaders. The winner paid a $13.70 mutuel.

Trillium drew out in front on the swing for the stretch and won the second race with ease from Patrice Runyon and Tight Wad, the last named a field horse. Tipton had the mount on the winner and sat tight while an assortment of sprinters battled for the pace. Once Trillium made her move, the race was over. The Middleburg Stable-owned winner rewarded with a $6 pay off.

The day's longshot had a Washington angle. C. C. Smithson, of the Capital, sent his Miss Morocco, idle since Charles Town, to the post in the fourth race and she won in a drive at a $62.50 mutuel. A head back came Vishnu, with Axentea another head away. Drombo, the favorite, was nowhere in particular. Vishnu and Miss Morocco battled it out from the start, the former enjoying a 3-length lead at one stage. However, in the stretch, Apprentice Hunter batted the filly ahead and she clung to the lead. Axentea came from far back and was gaining at the end.

Brown, Gallagher Clash at Portner's

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Parks and Tony Cello, of Worcester, Mass., pitted against Henry Irving, the Northeast's own popper-over. A four between two colored lads, Young Joe Walcott and Stonewall Gates, opens the festivities.

Around the ring selections—Brown seems to have the edge over Gallagher here; Green is too rugged for Charles; Bevan over Parks; Irving to whip Cello; Walcott should tear down the Stonewall.

Clarendon Teams to Meet.

Clarendon Junior and Midget teams will meet Sunday night at 7:30 at their field. Positions on both teams are still open. The manager of the Maryland Aces is requested to phone Manager Smith at Clarendon 3276.

Strange as It Seems —By John Hix

For further proof address the author, inclosing a stamped envelope for reply. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

It is a strange fact that among semicivilized peoples when trouble arises one of the first things they do is attempt to placate their gods with ceremonies which often involve the sacrifice of human life. Higher civilizations abandon this practice as useless; really primitive people just shrug their shoulders and take what comes without attempting to appease the wrath of the gods with human sacrifice.

The Mayans, of what is now Yucatan, were of the semicivilized status. They believed that the gods of rain lived in a deep hole, 225 feet across and 70 feet down to water. When it failed to rain, and drought threatened the land with famine, the priests selected beautiful young women to go down into the pit and find out what was the matter.

These women were not lowered into the regions of the rain gods—they were simply thrown over the side of the pit. If they were killed by the fall, or drowned in the water at the bottom it was all well and good, for then they were considered sacrificed to the gods. If, however, any of these maidens were fortunate enough to survive the visit they were hauled out by ropes, and then questioned closely by the priests to find out what the gods in the hole had to say.

The survivors had one thing in their favor; none of the priests ever went down themselves to check up on their stories.

Tomorrow: The heaviest thing in the world.

Colors give added realism to strange things and happenings illustrated by John Hix on a full page in The Sunday Post.

At the Post . . .

***with* Bill Bennings.**

Dear Al: Bowie Race Track, April 9.

Before I go into this thing let me inform you that Bennings, Inc., was shutout yesterday for the first time since late in the Hialeah meeting. Had Rock Point been given the decision that I believe he earned, I would have had a winner. I'm leaving the decision to the judges, be they right or wrong. However, while racing is concentrating on dope, stimulants, saliva tests and whatnots, no attempts have been made to better the method of placing horses. From all I can learn, one man is given the burden of naming the winner. The others pick other positions. It is said that the horse the first judge picks, stands. The others, so to speak, take the leavings. Of course, there are all sorts of angles to seeing the finish of a horse race. The judges are no doubt in the best spot. There's a stall gate at the start, why not a mechanical caller at the finish? BILL.

First Race—Ever True gets the inside post position in the opener and I look for a winning effort. Tired at the end of that last outing and was no match for the winner. Hunter will do the riding. **Synod** has a lot of education and should go well in this field. **Shady Past** has backers among the clockers.

Second Race—Dijonette has had the benefit of winter racing and seems to have found a spot among these cheap ones. **Time Enough** and **Soeur Blanche** appear to be the best of the others. Golden Princess has an outside chance.

Third Race—Mr. Hyde, despite the fact that he picks up weight, should take care of his field. **Sainted** ran a fair race here and is dangerous. **Lonie** for the show end.

Fourth race—Crout au Pot has bee been thrilling the clockers hereabouts and they feel he is ready for a victory. Won his only start of the winter in fine fashion. **Spoilt Beauty** and **Precept** appear most dangerous of the others.

Fifth race—Prince Abbot showed a distinct liking for the track in his triumph last week. Meets a little better field, but that recent effort can not be discarded. **One Chance** for the place and **Flaming Mamie** to show. An off track would boost the stock of **Uncle Donald.**

Sixth race—Foxland Hall turned in a win at this course and is sent back today against **Chat Eagle,** another Bowie winned. I fancy them in the order named. **Just Fun** was a star here last fall and could take it all if ready.

Seventh race—I'm taking **Peedeeque** in the final. This one loves the route and was never better. **Little Corporal** and **Kiltamond** to complete the money picture.

The Post's Consensus at Bowie

The following consensus has been compiled by The Post from the selections of the leading handicappers of the turf. The figures show how the selections were rated.

Consensus of Leading Handicappers

First race	Second race	Third race	Fourth race	Fifth race	Sixth race	Seventh race
Ever True (32)	Time Enough (26)	Mr. Hyde (26)	Spoilt Beauty (25)	One Chance (26)	Chat Eagle (23)	Cherokee Sal (16)
Back Fence (26)	Dijonette (18)	Leonie (20)	Precept (21)	Prince Abbot (19)	Salisbury (17)	Kiltamond (16)
Query (17)	Canteria (12)	Sainted (10)	Crout au Pot (15)	Uncle Donald (13)	Just Fun (11)	Peedeeque (15)

Bennings, Washington Post

Ever True	Dijonette	Mr. Hyde	Crout au Pot	Prince Abbot	Foxland Hall	Peedeeque
Synod	Time Enough	Sainted	Spoilt Beauty	One Chance	Chat Eagle	Little Corporal
Shady Past	Soeur Blanche	Lonie	Precept	Flaming Mamie	Just Fun	Kiltamond

Best bet—Mr. Hyde.

Louisville Times, Associated Press

Back Fence	Modern Times	Mr. Hyde	Piety	Uncle Donald	Salisbury	Nourrice
Synod	Canteria	Wilrob	Blue Foam	One Chance	Chat Eagle	Mint De Mie
Query	Chloedair	Sainted	Mumuring	Scimitar	Foxland Hall	Kiltamond

Clifton Forge Beats Central Nine, 12-6

Clifton Forge, Va., April 9 (Spl.). The local high school baseball team opened its season at Low Moor by defeating the Central High School team by a score of 12 to 6. The Clifton Forge team, which has been handicapped in training by the condition of the diamond here, which is being improved as a CWA project, played loosely, but made up for its errors by sending out a steady barrage of base hits. John Humphries, star of last year's team, pitched the first four innings for Clifton Forge, holding his opponents scoreless until he was relieved by Tyree.

Open Hearth Triumphs In Texas Mile Feature

Arlington, Tex., April 9 (AP). Open Hearth, once a top-notch performer in S. W. Labrot's Maryland stable, now racing for H. G. Shoemaker, come from behind in the stretch today to win the mile claiming purse, which topped the program at Arlington Downs.

The 5-year-old son of Sir Greysteel, which faltered the last time out, was held on the pace until the field hit the stretch, then moved up and won by a length. Trombone, a consistent son of St. James, finished second after setting the pace, while Sad Knight took down third portion of the purse.

Under 112 pounds, Open Hearth ran the distance in the good time of 1:38 3-5, to pay $9.20 for $2 in the mutuels.

Grove Expects To Be Ready Very Soon

Dental Work to Cure His Arm, Says Star Before Leaving for Philly.

ATLANTA, April 9 (AP).—"I'm going to be ready—let the teeth fall where they may," was Bob Grove's comment today as he prepared to entrain for Philadelphia, where he will place himself under the supervision of his dentist. He hopes removal of abcessed teeth will also eliminate the soreness of his $100,000 pitching arm.

Loafing around Atlanta today, while his Boston Red Sox mates were meeting the Atlanta Southern Association Club, Grove said he believed that some dental work would remove the source of the trouble that brought on his sore arm, the first he's ever had.

While in Birmingham, after the Barons had landed on Lefty's offerings as few teams have in recent years, Grove went to a dentist and X-ray pictures showed three abcessed teeth.

"I sat right there in the chair while two of them were yanked. I kept the third for my own dentist to take out and plan the bridge work," Lefty said.

"I'm out to get this trouble corrected. If I ever started a season in which I wanted to do my best, it's this one," Grove declared. "I honestly believe I'm working for the best outfit I ever saw. Bucky Harris, Eddie Collins and Tom Shawkey, I'll pitch my head off for this club and to do that I've got to have my arm in shape so I won't pitch it off, too."

Striding across the room, Lefty reiterated his earlier statement: "I'll get it in shape. And I'm going to be ready. Let the teeth fall where they may."

Grove's sorm arm first developed a few days ago at Sarasota, and later at Orlando. Lefty says he still can pitch steadily at a certain pace without inconvenience. "But when I put the speed on, I feel it."

Western High Routs Lee-Jackson, 17 to 2

Alexandria, Va., April 9 (Spl.). Western High School overwhelmed Lee-Jackson High, 17-2 today, as Loveless, star hurler, held the home team to four hits. Meanwhile Western bats sang a merry tune of base hits, 21 being garnered, with Brennan, first-sacker, getting five.

Seven runs in each of the last two innings proved the downfall of the Lee-Jackson team.

Bowie Entries.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST RACE—Four furlongs; purse, $800; the Schnozzola Trophy; claiming; for 2-year-olds.

Horse and jockey.	Wt.	Odds.
1 *Ever True (Hunter)	108	3-1
2 On Our Way (Porter)	112	20-1
3 Synod (Robertson)	114	15-1
4 Miss Firefly (Coucci)	109	12-1
5 Dunlop (Malley)	110	40-1
6 Deep Sally (Lowry)	110	40-1
7 Happy Helen (Luther)	111	5-1
8 *Barnstormer (Sage)	104	50-1
9 Back Fence (Jones)	110	15-1
10 *Shady Past (Jacobs)	104	8-1
11 *Kindred Spirit (Tipton)	112	20-1
12 Query (Stout)	114	8-1
13 *Golden Dream (Windle)	104	30-1
14 Rustic Joe (Gilbert)	112	30-1
15 Meribelle (McTaggart)	109	40-1
16 Lady Bulletin (Holland)	111	40-1
17 Carmanchita (Elston)	113	8-1

*Middleburg Stable-William Ziegler, Jr., entry.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 *Emmy Fish (Hunter)	101	15-1
2 *Castoria (Sage)	109	6-1
3 *Golden Princess (Sage)	104	8-1
4 Time Enough (Tipton)	106	20-1
5 *Changeable (Merritt)	101	30-1
6 Mint Paragon (Workman)	114	20-1
7 Round Bend (Barnes)	111	40-1
8 Soeur Blanche (Lowry)	106	3-1
9 Chloedair (Erickson)	106	25-1
10 *Dijonette (Jacobs)	101	3-1
11 *Pair Clark (Snyder)	106	25-1
12 Modern Times (Holland)	106	8-1
13 Rustic Cuba (Gilbert)	106	10-1
14 Sisko (Porter)	106	40-1

THIRD RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds.

1 Bonnie Dhu (Malley)	109	20-1
2 Immune (Stout)	109	25-1
3 *Come Seven (Windle)	104	10-1
4 *Leonie (Sage)	100	3-1
5 *Plateau (Merritt)	104	30-1
6 Impromptu (Coucci)	118	6-1
7 Mr. Hyde (Jones)	106	8-5
8 Golden Measure (Burke)	109	20-1
9 *Blondino (Snyder)	109	15-1
10 *Chips (Hunter)	104	30-1
11 Wilrob (Porter)	104	20-1
12 *Sainted (Jacobs)	109	10-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $800; the Page Brook; allowances; for 3-year-old fillies.

1 Spoilt Beauty (Jacobs)	107	13-5
2 Murmuring (Barnes)	107	10-1
3 Piety (Robertson)	110	5-1
4 Blue Foam (Jones)	107	8-1
5 Crout au Pot (Coucci)	107	15-1
6 Precept (Stout)	107	6-1

FIFTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 *Flaming Mamie (Cruz)	109	11-5
2 Uncle Donald (Gross)	114	13-5
3 Prince Abbot (Lowry)	114	5-1
4 Foray (Robertson)	114	10-1
5 *One Chance (Jacobs)	100	3-1
6 *Scimitar (Mauro)	109	8-1

SIXTH RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $800; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

1 Don Tasker (Coucci)	113	15-1
2 *Chat Eagle (Jacobs)	111	3-1
3 Light Breeze (Holland)	108	25-1
4 Happy Lad (Gross)	113	20-1
5 *High Socks (Sage)	106	8-1
6 *Foxland Hall (Hunter)	108	12-1
7 *Fair Billy (Snyder)	108	6-1
8 Jane Ellen (Coucci)	108	15-1
9 *Catwalk (Jacobs)	108	12-1
10 *O'Neill (Snyder)	108	8-1
11 *The Tout (Merritt)	108	25-1
12 Just Fun (Abel)	113	20-1
13 Salisbury (Tipton)	116	5-1
14 *St. Christopher (Sage)	108	20-1

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $800; claiming; for 3-year-olds and upward.

1 *Mint de Mie (Hunter)	100	8-1
2 Little Corporal (Coucci)	113	15-1
3 *Nourrice (Sage)	100	15-1
4 *Kiltamond (Jacobs)	106	11-5
5 Cherokee Sal (Lowry)	111	12-1
6 Peedeeque (Robertson)	113	4-1
7 Lofty Lady (Porter)	108	6-1

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather, clear; track, fast.

Chart of Bowie Races

(Monday, April 9, 1934.)

WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Four furlongs. Purse, $800; claiming. For maiden 2-year-olds. Start good from gates. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 2:32. Off at 2:39. Winner, E. W. Labrot's c. (2), by Value to winner $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth $25. Time, 0:23 2-5, 0:48 3-5.

Horses	Wt.	Post	Start	¼	Stretch	Finish	Jockeys	Straight
COLOR BEARER	113	8	5	2½	1°	1°	Hunter	$13.70
BLACKBIRDER	118	9	10	3h	3¼	2h	Coucci	7.50
HANNAH ANNE	110	4	6	1h	2h	3h	Jacobs	7.90
ST. MORITZ	116	1	8	1h	1h	4nk	Abel	10.40
BANK HOLIDAY	118	5	4	5h	4h	5½	Jones	2.30
SPECS	115	3	3	4½	5h	6h	Robertson	8.30
D DEMON	113	6	7	6h	6h	7h	Lowry	6.60
SEXTON	114	10	9	8½	8½	8½	Porter	50.00
LAST MINUTE	114	7	1	10h	9h	9½	Malley	*14.00
FAY ROCK	118	2	2	7¼	10h	10h	Erickson	58.90
RAVIN PRINCESS	116	11	11	11	11	11	Tipton	*

*Field.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—COLOR BEARER, $13.70, $6.70, $5.40; BLACKBIRDER, $6.60, $5.30; HANNAH ANNE, $5.40.

COLOR BEARER, hustled into a forward position, saved much ground at the stretch turn when the pacemaker bore out, responded strongly to pressure and was up in the closing sixteenth. BLACKBIRDER, forced to secure racing room on the outside after acting fractiously at the starting point, circled his field and closed full of run. HANNAH ANNE displayed nice early speed, bore out entering the home stretch and then weakened badly under severe punishment. ST. MORITZ met with slight interference midway of the turn. He closed gamely when clear. BANK HOLIDAY was in tight quarters most of the trip. SPECS could not better her position. D DEMON went evenly. RAVIN PRINCESS raced very strongly and went very wide all the way.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $800; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good from gates. Won easily; place, driving. Went to post at 3:09. Off at 3:12½. Winner, Middleburg Stable's b. f. (3), by Abbot's Speed—Alys. Trained by C. Phillips. Value to winner, $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 3-5, 0:48 3-5, 1:14 4-5.

Horses	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
TRILLIUM	109	7	2	2½	1½	1°	1°	Tipton	$3.60
PATRICE RUNYON	101	5	6	5h	5h	3½	2°	Merritt	10.30
TIGHT WAD	106	11	10	9h	6½	3¼	3°	Sage	*61.20
PORTFOLIO	109	8	12	11½	9½	5½	4¼	Jacobs	6.20
BUNGALOW	106	10	11	12	12	4½	5½	Coucci	2.40
RETRIBUTION	109	3	9	10h	10h	7h	6¼	Porter	4.10
MASKED JESTER	112½	2	3	8h	8½	8½	7h	Leyland	62.30
BLACK SONG	109	1	4	3h	3h	9h	8½	Lowry	42.30
SLIDING	101	6	7	4h	7h	11	9°	Hunter	167.00
WHIRRY	112	9	8	6½	11½	10h	10½	Palumbo	*
ROYAL RUFFLE	109	12	5	7h	8h	10½	11½	Stout	*
TUMBLE IN	106	4	1	12	12	12	12	Renick	159.00

*Field.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—TRILLIUM, $6.00, $3.60, $2.80; PATRICE RUNYON $7.60, $3.50; TIGHT WAD, $9.00.

TRILLIUM, moving up stoutly when reaching the turn, wore BLACK SONG down without effort and, drawing into an easy lead, finished with speed in reserve. PATRICE RUNYON, forced to race on the outside from the beginning, closed with good courage, but could not menace the winner. TIGHT WAD, slow to settle in his stride, swung to the outside and closed gamely in the late stages. PORTFOLIO broke sluggishly, raced wide thereafter, but closed a big gap. BUNGALOW, hard ridden from the start failed to respond when placed to punishment. RETRIBUTION raced in dull fashion. MASKED JESTER was crowded back soon after the start. BLACK SONG had speed for the first five furlongs. ROYAL RUFFLE was done after half a mile.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $800; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from gates. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 3:44. Off at 3:48. Winner, L. Asie's blk. g. (4), by St. Henry—Laura Frechitine. Trained by J. Hogan. Value to winner, $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:47 2-5, 1:14.

Horses	Wt.	Post	St.	½	¼	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
ST. NICK	109	6	1	1°	1°	1°	1nk	Merritt	$2.65
ROCK POINT	118	2	4	3½	2½	2°	2°	Renick	3.10
SCOUT MASTER	109	5	5	4½	3½	3°	3¼	Hunter	6.50
BLACK STOCKINGS	109	3	6	5nk	5h	5°	4°	Mauro	28.40
IN INDIA	109	4	2	2½	4nk	4°	5°	Sage	60.90
JIMMY D	109	7	3	6°	6°	6°	6°	Jacobs	6.40
CANTERET	104	1	7	7	7	7	7	Sorenson	123.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid—ST. NICK, $7.30, $3.30, $2.80; ROCK POINT $2.60, $2.20; SCOUT MASTER $3.10.

ST. NICK sprinted into a commanding lead soon after the start, was steadied along until challenged, and then continued courageously to last long enough. ROCK POINT, allowed to settle in his full stride, moved up with a rush when straightened into the home stretch, closed resolutely and just failed to get up. SCOUT MASTER, prominent throughout the running, was unable to better his position in the final test. BLACK STOCKINGS was steadily making up ground. IN INDIA had no mishaps. JIMMY D. showed little speed. CANTERET was never a factor.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $800; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 4:18. Off at 4:22½. Winner, C. C. Smithson's ch. m. (6), by Stimulus—La Giaconda. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 2-5, 0:47 3-5, 1:14 4-5.

Horses	Wt.	Post	St.	½	¼	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
MISS MOROCCO	104	4	3	1h	2½	2½	1h	Hunter	$30.25
VISHNU	118	2	4	2nk	1h	1h	2h	Jones	3.40
AXENTEA	114	3	7	7°	5°	3°	3½	Cruz	*16.60
GENERAL LEJEUNE	114	7	2	3°	3°	4°	4½	Leyland	18.10
VACILLATE	106	7	5	5½	4½	5°	5°	Sage	3.00
HERNANDO	118	6	1	4h	6½	6h	6h	Tipton	9.40
DROMBO	114	5	6	6½	7°	7°	7nk	Jacobs	1.40
FREE PLAY	114	1	8	8	8	8	8	Lowry	70.90

Two-dollar mutuels paid—MISS MOROCCO, $62.50, $15.80, $8.90; VISHNU, $4.90, $3.40; AXENTEA, $8.90.

MISS MOROCCO, hustled into a brief lead soon after the start, displayed good speed until displaced, came again under strong urging and was up in the last few strides. VISHNU, steadied close to the leaders while on the inside, moved clear when saving much ground in the stretch turn but tired suddenly in the last sixteenth. AXENTEA worked his way up between horses and finished with excellent courage. GENERAL LEJEUNE, slow to get into racing stride, came with a rush in the last five-sixteenths. VACILLATE and HERNANDO raced stoutly for the first five furlongs, then tired. DROMBO was hard ridden while on the outside of the leaders, but was not good enough.

FIFTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $800; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from gates. Won handily; place, driving. Went to post at 4:53. Off at 4:56½. Winner, Jersey Stable's br. g. (6), by Light Brigade—Iwin. Trained by C. H. Trotter. Value to winner, $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:24 3-5, 0:51, 1:15 3-5, 1:42 4-5, 1:56.

Horses	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	⅝	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
BRASS MONKEY	107	6	6	6°	6°	6°	1½	1½	Hunter	$5.10
FABIUS	107	2	4	4½	5nk	3°	2°	2°	Sorenson	4.10
WAR TIDE	109	1	2	2°	1nk	2nk	3°	3°	Jacobs	2.10
SOUTHARD	114	5	3	3°	2°	1°	4°	4°	Lowry	9.50
LONE HAND	114	3	1	1h	3½	4h	5°	5°	Coucci	6.40
POLO BAR	116	4	5	5h	4h	5h	6	6	Robertson	4.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid—BRASS MONKEY, $12.20, $7.60, $3.30; FABIUS, $6.80, $3.60; WAR TIDE, $2.30.

BRASS MONKEY, as usual slow to get going, moved up on the outside when leaving the back stretch, swung to the outside when assuming command and drew out steadily during the final furlong. FABIUS strongly restrained and messed about for the first six furlongs, was shaken up midway of the final turn and finished well. WAR TIDE had a lot taken out of him racing LONE HAND into defeat and he weakened badly when the real issue came. SOUTHARD went forwardly placed and had no excuses. LONE HAND was done after the opening six furlongs. POLO BAR raced below his true form.

SIXTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards. Purse, $800; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from gates. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 5:21. Off at 5:21½. Winner, W. A. Smithson's b. g. (5), by Dunlin—Nesoporite. Trained by C. C. Smithson. Value to winner, $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:25, 0:50 3-5, 1:16, 1:43 2-5 1:49.

Horses	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
LITTLE STOKES	113	5	2	1½	1½	1°	1°	1¾	Jacobs	$4.90
ROCK COVENTRY	118	3	3	2h	2h	2h	2°	2°	Gilbert	2.50
FAIR CREST	112	4	4	3°	3°	3°	3nk	3°	Belshak	10.40
THERMOPYLAE	112	1	1	4h	5	5	4h	4°	Palumbo	12.80
SYRIAC	113	2	5	5	4°	4°	5	5	Sasso	6.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—LITTLE STOKES, $4.90, $2.50 $2.30; ROCK COVENTRY, $2.40, $2.30; FAIR CREST, $2.90.

LITTLE STOKES outran his field to the first turn, was steadied along the remainder of the trip and was under mild pressure to withstand ROCK COVENTRY. Latter, taken under slight restraint when reaching the final turn, came courageously thereafter when placed to punishment and was going gamely at the end. FAIR CREST, prominent during all during the running, continued with good courage in the late stages. THERMOPYLAE was outrun throughout. SYRIAC is improving.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and seventy yards. Purse, $800; claiming. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from gates. Won driving; place, same. Went to post at 5:50. Off at 5:51. Winner B. S. Stable's b. or br. g. (5), by Stine—Dawn Star. Trained by H. Jacobs. Value to winner, $625; second, $100; third, $50; fourth $25. Time, 0:24 3-5, 0:50, 1:18 2-5, 1:42 3-5, 1:48 2-5.

Horses	Wt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Jockeys	Straight
WISHING STAR	112	2	3	5°	3h	1h	1nk	1nk	Jacobs	$3.90
EVERFAIR	110	8	7	8	8h	5½	3½	2¼	Porter	2.10
BRAD	115	5	2	1½	1½	1h	2½	3°	Robertson	26.80
PENDING	115	1	1	2°	2°	2½	4½	4°	Gilbert	13.80
BLARNEY CASTLE	115	6	8	3h	4½	3°	5°	5°	Coucci	11.90
CALGARY KAY	110	3	5	4½	5½	6½	6½	6¾	Hunter	5.60
CH'S TROUBADOUR	110	7	6	6½	7½	7½	7½	7°	Sage	2.80
KIBITZER	110	4	4	7°	8	8	8	8	Richards	64.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid—WISHING STAR, $9.80, $5.00, $4.20; EVERFAIR, $3.50, $2.60; BRAD, $7.10.

WISHING STAR, reserved off the early pace, gained steadily on the outside in the last half mile assumed a brief lead in the closing furlong and, under severe punishment, just lasted long enough. EVERFAIR, forced wide at the first turn, gained resolutely and was wearing down the winner down at every stride. PENDING, in hand for the first five furlongs, came courageously when hard ridden. BLARNEY CASTLE had no mishaps. CHIEF'S TROUBADOR could not threaten.

Arlington Downs Results.

(Associated Press.)

FIRST—Four and a half furlongs; purse, $700; special weights for 2-year-old maiden fillies.

Susie V., 115 (Wright) 6.40 4.80 3.20
Tee Dee Ruth, 115 (E. Pool) 3.80 4.80
Suzanne Gayle, 115 (Depreman) 3.80

*Sweet Thing, Anacreon, Golden Tip, *Chi Ku, Miss Angelo, Gay Dream, Marjorie Kerr and Reproach also ran. Time, 0:57 1-5. *Field.

SECOND—Wagoner course; purse, $700; claiming; for 3-year-old maidens.

Joe Geary, 116 (Pollard) 44.80 12.80 8.40
Brown Slippers, 106 (Taylor) 3.80 2.80
Pina Lad, 111 (Winters) 8.10

Scout Boy, Staked Plains, Slimaway, Thistle Flit, Overtone, *Pauls Valley, Bright Wine and *Lady's May also ran. Time, 1:13 1-5. *Field.

THIRD—Waggoner course; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Broomshot, 110 (N.Wall) 7.90 4.00 2.60
Pio M., 102 (Parvin) 3.80 2.70
Rizla, 108 (Petrella) 3.40

Chief's Ranger, Ad Rammcon, Saucy Marie, Thistle Ann and Forget Not also ran. Time, 1:11 1-5.

FOURTH—Waggoner course; purse, $800. The Washer Bros.; allowances; for 3-year-olds.

*Pax Ere, 114 (Watson) 9.00 4.00 2.50
Cova, 103 (Taylor) 4.70 2.50
Maxim Barton, 114 (Litzenberger) 2.30

Bing Crosby, Beckoned and Happy Surprise also ran. Time, 1:11 1-5.

FIFTH—One mile and a sixteenth; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

*Back Never, 105 (Hughes) 21.00 9.10 5.00
Seymour, 111 (Dronet) 6.50 4.50
Blameless, 106 (Balaski) 7.00

Hurraway, The Break, Portcodine, More Power, *Plucky Lady, Excellency, Bettina H. and Centennial also ran. Time, 1:47. *Field.

SIXTH—One mile; purse, $700; claiming; for 4-year-olds and upward.

Open Hearth, 112 (Arnold) .. 9.30 7.00 6.00
Trombone, 109 (Wall) 6.00 4.70
Sad Knight, 104 (Harbort) 8

Stocks Yield Ground Again In Dull Session

Nonferrous Metals Rally; Sales Fall Off to 866,305.

New York, April 9 (AP).—Security trading was dull today. Stocks returned more net declines than advances.

Influences which share traders could view as favorable appeared to have been offset by others that looked less cheerful. Among the former were the Senate Banking Committee's decision with respect to the regulation bill, a good rise in steel production, stronger metal prices and word that Gov. Black, of the Reserve Board said he expected some modifications of the securities act.

On the other hand, labor difficulties again got into the headlines. Automobile stocks, most directly affected by such developments, were soggy doubtless because Wall street was wondering how much production, now at the top of its seasonal stride, might be held back. News of the Nash Motors dividend omission did not reach here until the market had closed.

Metal Shares Rally.

In contrast, nonferrous metal shares rallied as quotations on copper, lead and zinc were advanced slightly. Anaconda, Kennecott, Howe Sound, Cerro de Pasco, Phelps Dodge, Magma and U. S. Smelting rose fractions to a point. Inactive Chile Copper came to life with a rise of more than 3.

Silver representatives also strengthened as the price of bar metal was lifted to within a fraction of its best level since 1930.

Steels responded mildly to word that operations had expanded to 47.4 per cent of capacity against 43.3 per cent last week, the figures being those of the American Iron & Steel Institute. Utilities and rails were inconspicious. Austin Nichols, Curtis Publishing, J. J. Newberry, Alleghany preferreds, Chesapeake Corporation and Dominion Stores made progress. Transactions totaled 866,305 shares, the smallest five-hour market since March 28.

Steel Output Pickup.

A pickup in steel output had been anticipated because of the impulse provided by the price increases which soon become effective, but the actual rise was larger than some had expected and with specifications increasing rather sharply it was inferred that consumers have been carrying small stocks.

General Motors Corporation reported the largest March sales to dealers for any month since last June and for any March since 1931. Sales to American consumers were more than double those of a year ago. Chrysler reported a larger export business in March than for the entire first quarter of 1933; with the exception of 1933 it was the best March in the history of the company's export subsidiary.

The bond market's recent behavior has quickened interest in the matter of reviving the capital market. Recent offerings have been confined almost exclusively to the municipal category, and demand for the best issues is lively, as the low yields indicate. Recently, there has appeared a more definite move in Congress to make some changes in the securities act. Most bankers feel that "liberalization" of this measure would be quickly reflected in the volume of new financing.

Robey's Review

Finance Economics Business

Widespread Conflict in Business Reports Make Any General Conclusion Difficult; Opinion Is That Activity Has Leveled Out.

By Ralph West Robey.

Almost all of the unbaised students of the business trend to whom I have talked recently express the opinion that seldom have they seen such a volume of conflicting reports on the actual situation. Out of Washington comes a steady stream of releases to the effect that not only is business continuing to improve, but that new highs in the rate of improvement are being made almost every month. Some private organizations draw the same conclusions. On the other hand various business indicators that heretofore have been regarded as reasonably accurate give the opposite picture. Private reports, too, in many instances, indicate that there has been a letdown in improvement.

To some extent the conflict is the result of a difference in the period covered. Government statistics always are slow in making an appearance and consequently it is quite possible for there to be a considerable change in the business outlook between the time to which the data refers and the time the conclusions are made public. By and large, however, this can explain only a relatively small amount of the present discrepancy. The trouble appears to be something much deeper.

Governmental Agencies Emphasize Good Factors.

Specifically, it appears to be a question of the governmental agencies being determined to stretch points in order to make a favorable showing. There have been several recent examples of this. One of the most outstanding was in connection with the report for export trade in February. This, it will be recalled, gave an interpretation to the statistics that made them show foreign trade had enjoyed a marked improvement during the month, although actually the volume of such trade declined.

This juggling took place through making an adjustment for seasonal variation. According to the Department of Commerce, foreign trade normally falls 11 per cent between January and February. This year the decline was only about one-half this amount. Hence the conclusion that the situation was improved.

The criticism of such presentation is simply that there is no such regular variation in the volume of foreign trade in the first two months of the year. Many capable statisticians question if the data lend themselves to seasonal adjustment. The Department of Commerce, however, is not troubled by such considerations. They want a good picture and they get it. Such a policy may be good ballyhoo, but it does not aid recovery.

Labor Department Provides Another Example of Optimism.

Another recent example of leaning over backward in order to produce a favorable picture was the Department of Labor report on employment and wages. I have no doubt that the figures used were accurate—in absolute terms and that mathematically they showed an increase of 12 per cent. One would think, nevertheless, that some one in the department would be a bit hesitant about taking the data at their face value in view of the reports of trouble and dissension among laborers and the continued demand for unemployed relief from one end of the country to the other. Apparently, however, there is no such questioning. Rather, the Labor Department goes right ahead presenting a picture of almost incredible improvement while other departments are wracking their brains trying to find ways to help business. Such is the beauty of statistics.

The upshot of all this is that to the man in the street it is impossible to tell what business is doing. If he believes his Government, we are getting along splendidly; if he believes private reports, and such figures as weekly steel production, he must wonder whether we are not back in the days when recovery was "just around the corner."

The best opinion I can get is that business activity on the whole has leveled off and perhaps slumped a little. The change of trend has not been sufficiently powerful to be serious, but it has been sufficient to cause renewed questioning of the efficacy of the recovery program.

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Bonds Pushed To New High In Quiet Sales

Some Profit Taking Hits Prices; Dealing Totals $13,877,000.

New York, April 9 (AP).—Bonds again moved into new high territory for the past year or more today, although trading was relatively quiet and price changes rather narrow.

Transfers totaled $13,877,000, par value, compared with $15,311,000 last Friday.

The average for 60 domestic corporate issues advanced one-tenth of a point of 86.4 another peak since 1931.

News Is Conflicting.

News of interest to the market was somewhat conflicting. While the labor situation was not especially reassuring and Congressional activities were still a little confusing, trade news continued to indicate progress.

Current steel operations were estimated to have gained 4.1 points over those of the previous week.

There was profit-taking in some of the secondary corporation groups, but the majority about held their own. Prime investment issues were generally unchanged to a little higher.

Among Active Gainers.

Among the more active gainers were some loans of Santa Fe, Baltimore & Ohio, Bethlehem Steel, Chesapeake Corporation, St. Paul, Chile Copper, Illinois Central, Great Northern, National Dairy, N. Y. Central, Nickel Plate, Pan-American Petroleum, Richfield Oil, Southern Railway, United Drug and Wabash.

A slightly lower trend was shown by issues of Warner Bros., International Hydro-Electric, Postal Telegraph and Alleghany Corporation.

United States Government securities were a shade easier. The Treasury announced over the week-end that around $550,000,000 of the new 3¼ per cent conversion bonds had been taken in exchange for called Liberty Fourth 4½ and the maturing Treasury notes.

Called Series Decline.

The called series, of which more than $1,000,000,000 were outstanding, declined 3-32ds of a point.

Strength was shown by foreign obligations. The Argentines were up a point or more at new tops for the year. Bonds of Dutch East Indies, Lautaro Nitrate and Beligum were also firm.

Further declines of 1 to around 2 points were suffered by the Germans, although the Reich 5½s rallied from their low point of the session.

Tide Water Oil Net Rises to $7,265,301

Michigan Public Service Resumes Dividends on Preferred.

New York, April 9 (AP).—Tide Water Associated Oil Co. reports 1933 net profit of $7,265,301, equal to 61 cents a common share after allowance for dividends paid and accrued on the preferred stock. In 1932 the company had profit of $4,718,694, equivalent to 13 cents a common share.

Last year's gross earnings of $87,602,900 compared with $90,773,700 in 1932, the decline being largely due, President William F. Humphrey informs the stockholders, to the lower prices prevailing in 1933. Operating expenses were cut 12 per cent to $63,161,700.

Out of gross the company spent $10,616,700 in purchase of plant and equipment, $673,000 in acquisition of common stock of subsidiaries and $7,323,000 to reduce bank loans, purchase money obligations, subsidiaries' funded debt, and acquisition of preferred stock. A total of 51,282 shares of Tide Water preferred was retired during the year.

Directors of Interstate Department Stores today declared a dividend of $1.75 on the 7 per cent preferred stock, payable May 1 to stock of record April 20. This is the second payment on the stock this year, $1.75 having been authorized on January 12.

Chicago, April 9 (AP).—The Michigan Public Service Co., a unit of Middle West Utilities Co., resumed preferred stock dividend payments today with declaration of 87½ cents a share on the 7 per cent and 75 cents on the 6 per cent preferred, payable May 1 to stockholders of record April 14.

U. S. Treasury Receipts.

(Associated Press.)

The position of the Treasury April 6: Receipts, $19,800,211.30; expenditures, $39,683,942.71; balance, $4,711,680,816.50; customs receipts for the month, $4,226,164.90.

Receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1), $2,364,062,826.75; expenditures, $5,036,193,423.88 (including $3,007,868,109.68 of emergency expenditures); excess of expenditures, $2,674,130,597.13; gold assets, $7,717,246,185.87.

Metal Market.

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—COPPER—Market, firm. Electrolytic, spot and future, 8¼@8½.

TIN—Market, easier. Spot and nearby, 56.25; future, 56.37.

IRON—Market, steady. No. 2, f. o. b. Eastern Pennsylvania, 18.50; Buffalo, 17.50; Alabama, 13.50.

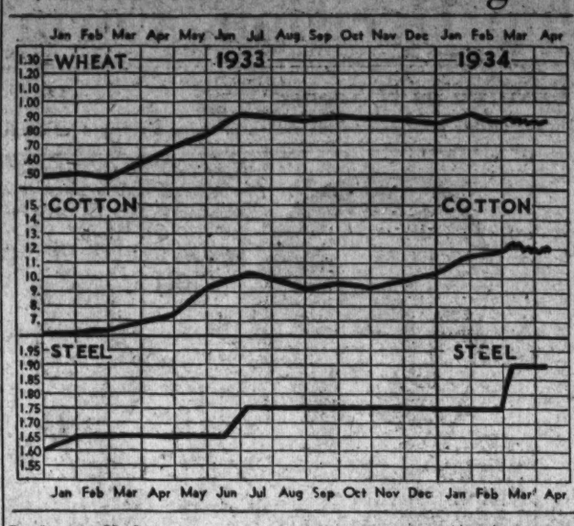
LEAD—Market, firm. Spot, New York, 4.10; East St. Louis, 3.95.

ZINC—Market, steadier. East St. Louis, spot and future, 4.40.

ANTIMONY—Spot, 7.95.

QUICKSILVER—76.00@78.00.

Commodities Price Range



Leaders in Markets	Today	Yes'day	Week Ago	Month Ago	Year Ago
Cotton, New York (May)	11.94	12.05	11.94	12.09	6.50
Wheat, Chicago (May)	86 ⅜	86 ½	86	86 ¼	57 ¾
Corn, yellow, Chicago (May)	49	48 ¾	48 ¼	50 ½	34
Oats, white, Chicago (May)	32 ⅝	32 ¾	32 ¼	33 ½	20 ¾
Cattle, choice steers	5.75	5.75	5.75	5.50	5.14
Hogs, choice, Baltimore	4.40	4.40	4.75	4.25	4.25
Lambs, choice, Baltimore	9.00	9.00	9.00	9.50	5.50
Eggs, special, New York	18 ½	18 ½	18	19	12
Butter, New York creamery	23 ¼	23 ¾	23 ¾	26 ½	22 ½
Flour, New York	6.25	6.25	6.30	6.25	4.10
Coffee, New York	11 ¼	11 ¼	11 ½	11 ½	7 ⅜
Raw sugar, New York	2.80	2.83	2.95	3.20	3.05
Steel, Pittsburgh bar	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.60
Rubber, New York	11.56	11.40	11.34	10.95	3.02
Pig iron, foundry	18.50	18.50	18.50	17.50	14.50
Tin	56.25	56.70	55.55	52.62	25.10
Copper (electrolytic)	8 ⅜	8 ¼	8	8	5 ½
Gold	35.00	35.00	35.00	35.00	20.69
Silver	46 ½	46 ¼	46	46	26 ½
Zinc, East St. Louis	4.40	4.35	4.30	4.40	3.00
Lead, New York pig	4.10	4	4	4	3
Coal, bituminous	2.01	2.01	2.02	2.04	1.80

Curb's Prices Close Mixed; Sales Lighter

Irregularities Prevailed in Oils; Transfers Cut to 227,000 Shares.

New York, April 9 (AP).—The curb market was virtually featureless today. Mining shares were fairly active but closed irregular. Narrowly mixed quotations also prevailed in oils. Utilities showed scant changes in unusual dullness.

Lerner Stores preferred, in a small transfer, rose 4¼ points to a new 1934 high, at 89. Newmont gained 2¼ in a moderately active flurry. Wright Hargreaves was steady, but Hudson Bay Mining and Hollinger Gold yielded fractionally.

Gulf Oil lost 1½. Standard Oil of Indiana and International Petroleum were steady. Hiram Walker, Sherwin Williams and A. O. Smith lost about a point or so each. Electric Bond & Share and American Light & Traction were practically unchanged. Molybdanum Corporation was active at a small gain.

Transfers approximated 227,000 shares compared with 255,000 last Friday.

Bank Stocks

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—Over-the-counter market.

Banks.	Bid.	Asked.
Bank Manhattan (2)	30½	32¼
Chase National (1.40)	27¼	28¼
Commercial (.60)	125	130
Fifth Avenue (34a)	1040	1080
First National (100)	1650	1690
National City (1)	28½	30
Public (1½)	30½	32½
Trust Companies.		
Bankers (3)	62½	64½
Brooklyn Trust (4)	93	98
Cen. Hanover (7a)	128	130
Chemical (1.80)	40	42
Continental (.80)	13	14½
Corn Exchange (3)	55½	57½
Empire (1)	18¾	19¾
Guaranty (20)	346	349
Irving (1)	17½	18½
Manufacturers (1)	20¾	22
N. Y. Title & Mtge	¾	¾
New York Trust (5)	99	102
Title G. & T.	9½	11
United States (70a)	1710	1760
Insurance.		
Aetna Cas. (2a)	50½	52¼
Aetna Fire (1.60)	37½	39½
Aetna Life	19½	21
Agricultural (2.60)	52¾	54½
Am. Reinsurance (2)	34	36
American Surety	20½	21½
Baltimore American	3½	4¼
Boston (16)	448	458
Conn. Gen. Life (.80)	28½	29½
Fid. & Dep.	35	36
Firemens Insurance (.80)	6¼	7¼
Frank. Fire (1)	20½	22
Glen Falls (1.60)	28¾	30¼
Globe & Rut.	47½	52
Great Amer (1)	19½	21
Halifax (.90)	16	17½
Hanover (1.60)	28½	29½
Hartford Fire (2)	50	53
Home Fire Sec.	1	1¾
Home Ins (1.20)	22½	24½
Lincoln Fire	13¾	15½
Mass. Bond	16	17½
National Fire (2)	50	52
National Liberty (.20)	5½	6½
New York Fire	11	14
North River (.75a)	19½	21
Phoenix (2)	59½	61½
Prov. Wash. (1)	27½	29½
St. Paul Fire (6)	127	130
Springfield (4½)	91	94
Sun Life	470	488
Travelers (18)	453	468
U. S. Fire (1.40a)	36½	38½
Westchester (1.10a)	22¾	24½

(a) Including extras.

Foreign Markets.

(Associated Press.)

London—Gold mining shares monopolized traders' attention on the stock exchange today, dealings in West African issues approaching boom conditions with prices advancing, although they closed below their best. German bonds and silk-edged securities eased, transactions commencing in the new British government conversion loan at quarter discount. Industrials and transatlantic stocks were cheerful. The market closed steady.

Paris—Strength in rentes, resulting from the diminishing opposition of civil functionaries and war veterans to the economy decrees, raised prices generally. The market was active and closed strong.

Berlin—After a quiet start, trading on the boerse assumed a more cheerful aspect, and prices were sustained, although the interest of the public was hesitant.

Wool Market.

Boston, April 9 (A.P.).—(U. S. Department of Agriculture).—Some weakness persisted in quotations on domestic wool because of the dull trade for many weeks. Amounts of old and new wool, however, available at prices below recent quotations ranges were reported to be limited.

Estimated receipts of domestic wool at Boston, reported to the Boston Grain and Flour Exchange during week ended April 7, amounted to 235,000 pounds, compared with 1,873,300 during the previous week.

Chicago Egg Futures.

Egg futures, storage packed firsts: April, 17½; May, 17; refrigerator standards, October, 19½@19¾.

Butter futures, fresh, extras, April 21; storage standards, November 23.

Germany Faces Exchange Bar; Switzerland May Slash Franc

By Anna P. Youngman.

There is a growing belief that Germany will be forced to abandon attempts to keep the mark at its present gold parity. It is also rumored that Switzerland may decide to devalue the franc. Switzerland is one of the two countries (Holland is the other one) which still maintains its currency unit at its prewar gold parity. Germany is only nominally on the gold standard and the mark of today is a new monetary unit established after the postwar collapse of the country's currency system.

In many respects Germany's financial position is radically different from that of Switzerland, but both are suffering from a universal complaint that has been one of the immediate causes of monetary disorders in recent years. That is, their international balances of payments are out of balance. Strictly speaking, of course, an unbalanced international account never exists, because sums that are spent or disbursed abroad have to be covered in some fashion by offsetting receipts.

For example, if a country buys more goods from foreigners than it sells to them, it must pay the difference by transferring claims to interest payable on foreign investments, receipts from freight, returns from tourists or other sources. Again it may use the proceeds of loans obtained from abroad to cover deficits or ship gold, which is regarded as a universal means of payment.

Finally, capital assets and funds held abroad may be transferred to foreigners in satisfaction of current claims. However it is done, a balance must be effected by some means, or defaults will ensue.

Understanding of Balances Would Curtail Ill Will.

If there were a proper understanding of the nature of the international balance of payments a good deal of the ill will created by widespread suspensions of payments on foreign debt account would be avoided. Then it would be easy to see that whenever a country is unable to create or borrow the foreign credits with which to offset its current uncovered liabilities, it is confronted by a transfer problem—the problem of how to acquire means to meet obligations payable in foreign currencies.

Payments in German marks or in Swiss francs, for instance, will not discharge obligations due to British or Americans who want pounds and dollars. Consequently, even if an individual Swiss or German debtor possessed ample marks or francs with which to meet his debts, he would be forced to default, if unable to obtain sterling or dollar exchange.

At present Switzerland's ability to meet her foreign obligations is not questioned. Germany, however, has ceased to pay reparations and has suspended in part transfers on private debt account. Switzerland possesses extraordinarily high reserves in gold and foreign exchange, which averaged close to 150 per cent of her note issues during the past year.

Germany has only a small and rapidly shrinking reserve of gold and foreign exchange, which amounts to less than 7 per cent of outstanding note issues. It is easy to see, therefore, why rumors of an impending devaluation of the mark gain credence. But the talk about devaluation of the Swiss franc seems puzzling in view of the country's strong gold position and excellent credit status. Nevertheless, the Swiss are confronted by a serious problem due to the deficit in their current balance of international payments, which forces them to trench upon accumulated reserves in order to cover payments abroad.

Process of Attrition Laid to Several Factors.

This process of attrition, which has been in progress for several years, is due to a number of factors. In the first place, there has been a sharp reduction in Swiss exports, while imports have declined less rapidly, with the result that the unfavorable merchandise balance, averaging about 500,000,000 francs for a long period, rose to 962,000,000 francs in 1932, and stood at 742,000,000 francs in 1933.

To make matters worse, the tourist trade has fallen off, partly because of the world depression and also because of the higher gold prices ruling in Switzerland. Consequently, the country has had to restrict imports and has endeavored to push exports by entering into special trade agreements and clearing arrangements with neighboring countries.

Notwithstanding these efforts, its position has become increasingly unsatisfactory.

Last year Switzerland is believed to have had an unfavorable balance of payments on all accounts amounting to 300,000,000 francs. Although this total is not large enough to occasion immediate anxiety, it is evident that the country can not continue to live off its accumulated resources year after year.

The German situation is quite different and is complicated by the fact that payments to foreign creditors are already suspended in part. The gold and foreign exchange holdings of the Reichsbank have fallen to 245,000,000 marks—30,000,000 marks below the figure reached last June when transfers on foreign private debts were partially suspended. In the meantime, the country has also lost an estimated 100,000,000 marks of repatriated funds. This deterioration in the exchange position has occured in the face of the fact that the principal of the foreign debt had at the end of last September been reduced between 40 and 50 per cent since the middle of 1930, partly because of the depreciation of foreign currencies. Moreover, reparations have ceased to be paid, although interest on the Dawes and the Young Plan loans is still being transferred.

Even the severest critics of Germany admit that the present situation means that transfers on private debt account will have to be subjected to further drastic cuts or may be suspended entirely. It is predicted that an ultimatum from Dr. Schacht to that effect may await the representatives of foreign creditors at the meeting which is to take place this week in Berlin. An insufficient favorable merchandise balance has recently been transformed into an unfavorable one—that is, imports during the opening months of this year have exceeded exports and it is estimated that the unfavorable balance of payments on all accounts may have reached 100,000,000 marks in January and February, before deductions for debt service.

The contrast between Germany and Switzerland is most instructive. Both countries have a transfer problem—pressing in the case of Germany and more remote in the case of Switzerland. Germany's transfer problem has been rendered more acute, however, by the pursuit of economic and political politics, that have impaired her intrinsically weak position as a debtor. Switzerland's troubles, on the contrary, are not of her own making, but a result of external conditions over which she has had no control. In neither case would devaluation of the currency solve the problems created by an unfavorable current balance of payments.

There is no satisfactory solution of the transfer problems that will confront Germany, Switzerland and many other countries so long as currencies continue to fluctuate and the foreign loan markets remain closed to countries that for lack of balancing receipts or loans have to cut imports, subsidize exports, or in extremis default. We need a new deal in international finance in order that permanent adjustments in international balances of payment may be effected and trade-destroying practices of this sort may be discontinued.

Naval Stores Firm.

Savannah, April 9 (A.P.).—TURPENTINE—Firm, 53¼; sales, 15; receipts, 148; shipments, 1; stock, 5,461.

ROSIN—Firm; no sales; receipts, 614; no shipments; stock, 75,695; quote: B, 4.30; D, 4.50; E, 4.80; F, G, H, I, K, M, N and WG, 5.15; WW and X, 5.25.

The Markets at a Glance

What the Stock Market Did.

	Mon.	Sat.
Advances	247	237
Declines	285	238
Unchanged	171	147
Total issues	703	622

Stocks—Dull trading marked the session, and stocks slipped back four-tenths of a point. Proposed regulation legislation continued to be a factor. Nonferrous metals rallied. Sales for the full day dropped to 866,305 shares.

Bonds—New highs were captured again, in spite of quiet trading. Federals were a shade easier. Gains averaged one-tenth of a point. Sales volume dwindled to $13,877,000.

Curb—Prices were mixed in a featureless market. Irregularity prevailed in oils, utilities and other issues. Sales fell off to 227,000 shares.

Wheat—Eastern buying lifted wheat prices, but the market fell back later under its own weight. Uncertainty regarding legislative developments in Washington was blamed. Corn advanced; oats were mixed. May wheat sold at 86⅜; July, at 86¾.

Cotton — Prices declined under pressure of liquidation. The general market closed barely steady at net drops of 7 to 11 points. July sold at 12.05; May, at 11.94.

Rubber — Crude rubber futures closed dull, 11 to 19 points higher. May sold at 11.56; July, at 11.82.

Sugar — Raw sugar was down again to the basis of 2.80; refined sold at 4.50.

Coffee—Spot coffee demand was steady. Santos, No. 4, sold at 11¼; Rio, No. 7, at 10½.

Silver—Bar silver was steady. It sold in New York, ¼ higher at 46½ cents per ounce.

Gold—Bar gold sold in the U. S. at $35 per ounce. It sold in London at 134 shillings and 4 pence.

Dollar—The United States dollar was slightly lower on foreign exchanges. It stood in New York, with reference to other currencies, $5.17⅝ to the English pound; 6.60 cents to the French franc, and 39.70 cents to the German mark.

Securities Averages.

(Associated Press.)

Stocks.

	50 Ind.	20 RR.	20 Ut.	90 Tl.
Yesterday	97.9	50.5	74.3	86.3
Previous day	98.2	50.7	75.1	86.7
Week ago	96.6	49.5	74.8	85.4
Month ago	96.1	49.5	75.4	85.2
Year ago	51.2	25.0	63.5	49.3
3 years ago	125.9	89.0	183.3	130.3
7 years ago	113.5	114.5	107.6	111.3
High, 1934	105.0	54.3	90.3	93.8
Low, 1934	89.1	41.8	64.3	77.5
High, 1933	102.1	58.0	113.7	96.9
Low, 1933	42.3	23.5	61.1	43.9
High, 1932	72.3	39.8	111.0	73.9
Low, 1932	35.1	13.2	51.8	35.0

(1926 average equals 100.)

Bonds.

	20 Ind.	20 RR.	20 Ut.	60 Tl.
Yesterday	*82.0	*87.9	*89.3	*86.4
Previous day	81.9	87.8	89.1	86.3
Week ago	80.7	85.8	88.2	84.9
Month ago	80.2	86.6	87.0	84.6
Year ago	59.6	57.4	74.3	63.7
2 years ago	61.5	63.5	77.8	67.6
3 years ago	86.8	99.5	100.9	95.7
High, 1934	81.9	87.8	89.1	86.3
Low, 1934	72.6	74.1	77.2	74.8
High, 1933	77.1	84.9	88.5	83.4
Low, 1933	58.3	57.0	74.1	63.6
High, 1932	71.3	78.0	86.2	78.1
Low, 1932	53.2	47.4	70.9	57.5

(1926 average equals 100.)

*New highs.

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Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

(Associated Press.)

Total bonds sales yesterday, $13,877,000; previous day, $8,174,000; week ago, $8,993,000; year ago, $8,670,000; two years ago, $11,349,000; January 1 to date, $1,246,215,000; year ago $753,405,000; two years ago, $849,693,000.

U. S. GOVERNMENT BONDS.
(Dollars and 32ds, sales in $1,000.)

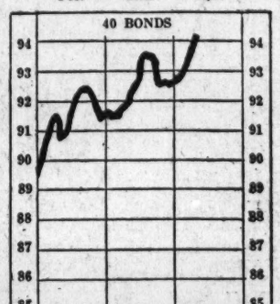
Sales		High	Low	Last
	Liberty.			
17	3½ '32-47	103.27	103.26	103.27
11	1st 4¼ '32-47	103.22	103.21	103.21
141	4th 4¼ '33-38	103.14	103.10	103.12
175	4th 4¼ '33-38cid	101.8	101.4	101.5
2	4th 4¼ rg '33-38	103.9	103.9	103.9
19	4th 4¼#'33-38eid	101.2	101.1	101.2
	Treasury.			
25	4¼ '47-52	110.28	110.26	110.26
78	*4¼-3½ '43-45	102.4	102	102
26	4 '44-54	106.30	106.25	106.25
4	3¾ '46-56	105.6	105.6	105.6
2	3¾ '40-43 June	103.1	103.1	103.1
6	3¾ '43-47	102.27	102.24	102.24
57	3¼ '41-43 Mch.	103.3	103.1	103.3
534	3¼ '41	102.26	102.25	102.25
45	3¼ '46-49	100.22	100.20	100.21
191	3 '51-55	99.16	99.12	99.14

*4¼ per cent to October 15, 1934; thereafter 3¼ per cent.

CORPORATION BONDS.

Sales		High	Low	Last
	A			
406	Alleghany 5 '50	44	42¾	42¾
30	Am & For P 5 2030	52⅜	52	52
15	AmIGChem 5½ '49	96¼	96	96¼
23	Am Roll M 5 '38	109	108½	108⅝
32	Am Smelt 5 '47	104	103¾	104
53	Am T & T 5½ '43	110½	110¼	110½
35	Am T&T 5 '65	107¼	107	107
1	Am T&T 4½ '39	110¾	110¾	110¾
42	Arm 4½ '39	97⅜	97	97¼
5	AT&SF cvt 4½ '48	105	104⅞	104⅞
60	AT&SF 4 '95	101¼	101¼	101¼
30	A O Line 1st 4 '52	97½	97⅜	97½
6	Atl Refin 5 '37	105¾	105¾	105¾
	B			
18	B & O rfg 6 '95	95	94	95
5	B & O 1st 5 '48	106	105½	106
103	B & O cvt 4½ '60	71⅝	70½	71¼
15	B & O 4 '48	99¾	99⅜	99⅜
2	Bell T Pa 5 '48 B	109	108¾	109
67	Beth Stl rfg 5 '42	111	110	111
24	Boston & Me 5 '55	87½	87½	87⅞
5	Bklyn Ed 5 '52 E	109	109	109
22	Bklyn M Tran 6 '68	100¾	100	100⅜
5	Bklyn U Gas 5 '45	110¾	110¾	110¾
3	Buf Gen El 4½ '81	104	104	104
4	Bush T Bldg 5 '60	53⅞	53½	53⅞
	C			
3	Can Nat Ry 4½ '56	107	107	107
2	Can Nat Ry 4½ '68	105	105	105
24	Can Nor 7 '40	108⅝	108½	108⅝
28	Can Pac 4½ '60	91¾	91¾	91¾
11	Can Pac 4 perp	79¾	79¾	79¾
26	Cen Ill E&G 5 '51	65¼	64½	65
19	Cen Pac 5 '60	82¾	82½	82½
25	Cen Pac 1 '49	93¾	93¼	93¼
26	Certain-td 5½ '48	67½	67½	67½
163	Chesap Corp 5 '47	108½	108	108¼
2	C&O gen 4½ '92	107¼	107¼	107¼
20	CB&Q gen 4 '58	102½	102½	102½
26	Chi U L & Cr 5 '37	104½	104½	104½
55	Chic Gt West 4 '59	56½	55½	55½
153	CMStP & P 5 '75	55½	55	55⅝
118	CMStP&P al 5 2000	19	18½	19
66	Chi&NW cv 4¼ '49	50	49¾	50
26	CRI&P cvt 4½ '60	15¼	14¾	15
77	C R I & P rfg 4 '34	27¾	27	27½
72	Chile Cop 5 '47	74¾	74	74⅝
8	Cinn Gas & E 4 '62	100½	100	100
12	CCC&St. L 4¼ '77	76½	76½	76½
29	ClevUnTerm4½ '77	89¼	88⅝	89
8	Colon Oil 6 '38	87	87	87
6	Col Indus 5 '34	30	29⅞	30
19	Columbia G 5 '61	84¾	84½	84¾
5	Colmbus RP 4½ '57	64½	64½	64½
14	Coml Inv Tr 5½ '49	107½	107⅜	107½
3	Con Gas NY 5½ '45	106	106	106
5	Cuba No Ry 5½ '42	32½	31	32½
15	Cub Cane Pr 6 '50	5¼	4⅝	5
	D			
8	Del & Hud 5½ '37	102¼	102¼	102¼
44	Del & Hud rfg 4 '43	95	94½	95
34	D & R G 4 '36	54½	54½	54½
2	Del Ed 5 '52	104¼	104¼	104¼
13	Det Ed 4½ '61 D	106¼	106¼	106¼
18	Dodge Bros 6 '40	104¾	104½	104⅝
7	Duqus L 4½ '67 A	106¼	106¼	106¼
	E			
72	Erie rf 5 '67	74¼	73⅝	74
28	Erie gen lien 4 '96	77½	76⅝	77½
	G			
12	Gen Cable 5½ '47	74	73¾	74
1	Gen Petrol 5 '40	106½	106½	106½
1	Gen Stl Cast 5½ '49	84	84	84
7	Goodrich 6½ '47	103¾	103⅜	103⅞
78	Goodyr T & R 5 '57	98¼	98¼	98¼
27	Gr Tk Rv Can 6 '36	106¾	106½	106½
1	Gt Nor Ry '75 E	84½	84½	84½
24	Gt Nor 4½ '77 E	82¼	81	82¼
	H			
27	Hudson Coal 5 '62A	48	44⅝	45½
37	Hud & M rfg 5 '57	85	84½	84½
43	Hud & M inc 5 '57	45	44¼	44¾
6	Hum Oil & R 5 '37	104¾	104¼	104½

Bond Averages Daily



Sales		High	Low	Last
	I			
20	Ill Bell Tel 5 '56	109½	109¼	109¼
8	Ill Cen 4¾ '66	73¼	73	73⅛
	I			
28	IC&CS&NO 5 '63A	85	84¼	85
2	Ill Steel 4½ '40	105⅛	105	105⅛
32	Inland St 4½ '78A	95½	95⅜	95½
22	Interb RTr rfg 5 '66	71¼	71	71
9	Int Cement 5 '48	89	88½	88½
34	Int Hydro El 6 '44	62¾	62	62
5	Int Mer Mar 6 '41	59¼	57⅜	57⅜
2	Int Paper 5 '47	74⅞	74½	74½
12	Int T&T 4½ '52	65	64½	64¾
45	Int T&T deb 5 '55	69¾	68½	68½
	K			
2	K C South 5 '50	82	82	82
21	K C Term 4 '60	100	99¾	100
8	Kans G & E 4½ '80

Wheat's Gains On Buying Cut In Later Sales

Prices Close ¼ Off to ¼ Up; Corn Advances; Oats, Mixed.

Chicago, April 9 (AP).—Eastern buying lifted wheat prices a little at times today, but in the end the market fell back under its own weight.

Uncertainty regarding legislative developments at Washington acted as a counterbalance to dearth of moisture in domestic wheat areas both Northwest and Southwest and to suggestions the United States Government crop report tomorrow might prove to be something of a stimulus.

Chairman Smith of the Senate Agricultural Committee was reported as skeptical that a bill to restrict commodity exchanges further would be enacted at this session of Congress, but other leaders were reported as expecting such a measure promptly to become law.

Wheat Closes Irregular.

Wheat closed irregular, ¼ off to ¼ up compared with Saturday's finish, corn, ⅛ to ½ advanced; oats, unchanged to ⅛ lower, and provisions unchanged to 7 cents down.

For the fourth successive day, the wheat market most of the time clung near to 86½ cents for May contracts. By far the greater part of the dealings in wheat was in the nature of so-called "spread" transactions between the various deliveries of wheat, or consisted of "spreads" with other grains.

Word of considerable damage done by green bugs to wheat fields from Oklahoma City north to the Kansas line served at one stage to give more or less firmness to the market.

Stocks in Chicago.

Bulls in wheat drew attention also to the fact that contract stocks of wheat in Chicago were the smallest at this time of year since 1926. It was emphasized, too, that the United States wheat visible supply had decreased 2,191,000 bushels in the last week, and was down to 88,859,000 bushels, against 130,312,000 a year ago.

Furthermore, supplies of wheat on ocean passage were reduced 2,432,000 bushels, making the total 34,136,000, against 47,616,000 this time last year, but the outstanding feature at the last was that general speculative interest appeared to be at a low ebb.

Corn and oats chiefly marked time with wheat. Rural offerings of corn were meager.

Provisions reflected downturns of hog values.

Futures Price Range.

Wheat.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	86⅝	86⅞	86¼	86½
July	86¼	86⅞	86¼	86½
September	87⅝	87⅞	87¼	87½
Corn—				
May	48⅞	49¼	48¾	49⅛
July	51¼	51¾	51¼	51½
September	53⅝	53⅞	53¼	53¾
Oats—				
May	32⅞	32⅞	32⅝	32⅝
July	33⅜	33⅜	33⅛	33⅛
September	33¾	33¾	33½	33½
Rye—				
May	60¾	61⅛	60⅜	60⅜
July	62½	62½	62¼	62¼
September	64	64½	64	64½
Barley—				
May	43	....	....	43
July	44⅝	....	....	44⅝
September	46½	....	....	46½

Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 hard, 88¾.
CORN—No. 2 mixed, 49; No. 2 yellow, 49@50; No. 6 white, 48.
OATS—No. 2 white, 34½@34¾; No. 3 white, 33¾@34½.
RYE—No. 2, 65¾.
BARLEY—45@82.
TIMOTHY SEED—6.50@7.00 cwt.
CLOVER SEED—11.00@13.00 cwt.

Italy's Raw Cotton Use Heaviest Since 1929

Italy increased its purchases of raw cotton by 16 per cent in 1933, compared with the preceding year, according to a report to the Commerce Department from Trade Commissioner E. Humes, Rome. Total imports amounted to 219,776 tons in 1933, compared with 190,200 tons in 1932.

Consumption of cotton by the mills exceeded the number of bales used in 1932 by 14 per cent and was the heaviest consumption registered since 1929. Official figures show consumption by the mills for the six months' period ended January 31, 1934, at 455,244 bales, compared with 455,655 bales for the six months ended July 31, 1933, and 404,473 bales for the six months ended January 31, 1933.

Insurance Sales Rise.

Philadelphia, April 9 (AP).—Penn Mutual Insurance Co. announced that sales for the first quarter of the year were 16 per cent above last year. March sales were up 21 per cent.

Week's Stock Sales.

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—Total reported stock transactions, including inactives, on the New York Stock Exchange during the week ended Saturday, April 7, aggregated 7,249,255 shares. Daily totals follow:

Monday	1,367,730
Tuesday	1,334,755
Wednesday	1,564,200
Thursday	1,419,110
Friday	1,014,440
Saturday	549,020

Dried Fruits.

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—EVAPORATED APPLES—Market, steady. Choice, 10¼@10½; fancy, 11¼@11½.
PRUNES—Market, steady. California, 5@9¾; Oregon, 9@9½.
APRICOTS — Market, steady. Choice, 12¼; extra choice, 13½; fancy, 15.
PEACHES—Market, steady. Standard, 8; choice, 8¾; extra choice, 9.
RAISINS—Market, steady. Loose Muscatels, 5¾@6¼; choice, fancy seeded, 6¼@6¾; seedless, 4¾@5¼.
FIGS — Market, steady. California, fancy, Black Missions, 9@9½; Adriatic, 8½@9; Kadota, 7@7½.

Baltimore Securities.

Baltimore, April 9.—Closing prices:

Stocks.

Arundel Corporation	17½
Baltimore Tube	1
Black & Decker	8½
Com Credit pfd B	25
Com Gas Elec & Pow	29½
Fidelity & Deposit	36
Houston Oil pfd new	8
New Amsterdam Casualty	9¼

Bonds.

W B & A 5s	1¾

Visible Supply U. S. Grain.

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—The visible supply of American grain shows the following changes, in bushels: Wheat, decreased 2,135,000; corn, decreased 1,360,000; oats, decreased 1,006,000; rye, decreased 112,000; barley, decreased 242,000.

Hop Prices Steady.

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—HOP—Market, steady. Pacific Coast, 1933, prime to choice, 36@38; medium to prime, 25@34; 1932, prime to choice, 32@33; medium to prime, 30@31.

Home Owners' Loan.

New York, April 9 (A.P.).—Home owners' loan 4s, 51, $15,000, 100½, 100¼, 100⅜, down ⅛.

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

(Associated Press.)

Total sales yesterday, 846,308 shares; previous day, 849,020; week ago, 1,424,720; year ago, 1,739,884; two years ago, 1,584,244; January 1 to date, 150,659,408; year ago, 45,324,158; two years ago, 112,924,168.

1934 High	1934 Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales Add 00	1934 High	1934 Low	1934 Close	Net Ch'ge.
		A					
11⅞	6¾	Adams Exp	4	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
24½	16	Adams-Millis (1)	27	24	23	23	— 1
11⅝	7½	Addressograph	3	10	10	10	
11⅝	8½	Advance Rumely	2	9	9	9	
106½	93¼	Air Reduc (3)	13	98⅞	98½	98⅝	
3½	1⅞	Air-Way El Ap	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	+ ⅛
23⅜	19¼	Alaska Jun (.900) XD	5	22¼	21⅝	21⅝	
8½	2¾	Allegheny	86	3¾	3¾	3¾	+ ⅛
14⅜	5¼	Alleg pf A	13	14⅜	13⅜	13⅜	+ 1⅛
18⅝	15¾	Alleg pf 1930 (w w)	140	17⅜	16⅞	17⅛	+ ⅛
14½	5¼	Alleg pf 800, ww	19	14½	12	14⅜	+ 2⅛
166¾	144	Al Chem & Dye (6)	1	157½	153½	157½	+ 4
23⅜	16⅛	Allen-Gh Mfg	6	19¾	19¾	19⅝	+ ⅛
65	25	Amal Lea pf (¼b)	1	34½	34½	34½	— 1
83¼	41½	Amerada (2)	8	53⅛	52⅜	53⅛	+ ⅛
39	23⅝	Am Ag Ch, Del	2	30	29½	30	
27	14⅞	Am Bakr Note	13	20¼	19⅝	19⅝	+ ⅛
12¾	7½	Am Beet Sug	3	13⅜	12⅞	13⅛	+ ⅛
65	46½	Am Steel S pf	1.10	63⅜	63	63⅜	+ ⅛
38	28	Am Brake Shoe (.80)	2	37	36⅝	36⅝	+ ⅛
109	88	Am Br Shoe pf (7)	20	106	104	104	+ 1
107½	94½	Am Can (4)	9	105½	102	102	— 1
142	126⅛	Am Can pf (7)	3	140⅞	140⅝	140⅝	+ 1⅜
33⅜	23¼	Am Car & Fdy	1	27½	26½	26⅝	
58½	36¼	Am Car & F pf	1	47	47	47	— 1⅛
62½	47	Am Cynmi Alco	6	50	48¼	50	— ⅛
8	2¾	Am Encaus Gas	1	3¼	3¼	3¼	
13¾	7¾	Am & For Pow	8	10¼	10	10⅛	+ ⅛
10½	7¼	Am Hide & Lea	1	9¼	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
35⅝	26⅛	Am Home Pr (2.40)	4	34	33⅝	34	+ ⅛
10	6¼	Am Ice	1	9½	9½	9½	— ⅛
11	6½	Am Internat	3	8¼	8¼	8¼	
1¾	¾	Am-La Pra & P	3	1¼	1¼	1¼	
8	4	AmLa Pr pf	10	7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
38¾	26¾	Am Loco	2	33½	33½	33½	— 1
74⅜	50	Am Loco pf	1	68½	68½	68½	+ ½
19¾	13	Am M & Fdy (.80)	14	17½	16¾	17	
77⅝	58	Am Metals	1	70½	69½	70	
34⅞	21	Am Mews (1½)	70	30	30	30	— ⅛
12¼	8¾	Am Pow & Lt	15	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
20½	12¾	Am P&L $5 pf (1¼)	1	18½	18½	18½	+ ⅛
17⅜	13⅜	Am Rad & St S	52	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜	+ ⅛
29¼	17½	Am Roll Mill	30	24½	23¾	23⅞	— ⅛
108	94	Am Safety Raz (4)	3	98	98	98	+ ½
51½	40⅛	Am Smelt & R	80	49¾	48¾	48⅝	+ ⅛
118½	100	Am Smelt pf (7k)	3	118½	118	118½	+ ⅛
92½	71¼	Am Smelt & pf	2	92½	90	92½	+ 2¼
59¾	41¾	Am Snuff (3¼b)	2	59½	58½	59½	+ ⅛
26½	19¼	Am Stor Fdrs	2	21½	21½	21½	+ ⅛
81	68	Am Sug Ref pf (2)	20	73	73	73	+ 1
44½	37	Am Stores (2½b)	2	40¾	40	40	— 1½
125¼	107¾	Am Tel & Tel (9)	19	118¾	118½	118½	— ⅛
82¾	65¼	Am Tob (5)	3	70¼	70¼	70¼	
84½	67	Am Tob B (5)	18	72½	73⅜	71⅞	— ⅛
13	4½	Am Type Fdrs	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	
38¾	7¾	Am Type F pf	50	19¾	19½	19⅜	
27⅜	16¾	Am Wat Wks (1) XD	13	20⅞	20½	20⅝	— ⅛
17½	11⅜	Am Woolen	6	14½	14½	14½	
83¾	61¾	Am Wool pf (1¾k)	8	76	75	75	+ ⅛
4½	1¼	Am Wtg, F pf	2	3¾	3¾	3¾	+ ⅛
14⅜	5¼	Am Wtr F pf	2	14	13½	14	
9	5¾	Am Zinc L & S	3	7⅜	7¼	7⅜	
17⅜	13½	Anaconda	260	17½	16½	17	+ ⅛
12	9¼	Anacon W & C	1	11	11	11	
24¾	18	Anchor Cap (.60)	1	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
9½	6¾	Andes Cop	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	+ ⅛
91½	76½	Armour Del pf (7)	5	91	91	91	+ ¼
7¾	4½	Arm Ill Pow	70	7¾	7¾	7¾	
3⅝	2¼	Arm Ill B	19	3¼	3¼	3¼	
68½	55	Arm Ill pf	47	69¾	68½	68½	— 1
9	5	Art Metal	60	7	7	7	
18½	11¼	Asso Dry Gds	2	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	+ ⅛
15½	8¼	Atl G & W I	17	9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
85½	70½	Atchison pf (3.30s)	3	81¾	81½	81½	
54½	39	Atl Coast Line	1	48	48	48	
35⅝	28½	Atl Refin (1)	41	30⅝	29⅝	30	+ ⅛
56	35½	Atlas Pow (1½s)	1	49¾	49¾	49¾	
16½	13	Atlas Tack	13	15¾	15¾	15¾	
57½	47¾	Auburn Auto (2)	22	52⅜	51¼	51½	— 1¾
16⅝	7	Aust Nich	17	15	14	14⅜	
59	38½	Aust Nich pr A (3)	70	58	54	54	+ 2
10¾	5⅝	Aviation Corp	34	9	8⅞	8⅞	— ⅛
		B					
16	11	Baldwin Loc	20	14½	14½	14½	+ ⅛
56½	35	Bald Loc pf	3	56½	56	56	
34½	22¼	Balt & Ohio	21	29⅝	29⅜	29⅝	— ⅛
37⅞	24½	Balt & O pf	4	33¾	33½	33⅝	
99	86½	Bamberger pf (6½)	10	85	85	85	— ⅛
46⅛	39½	Bang & Ar (2½)	3	44	43	44	+ ⅛
6½	3	Barker Bros	1	5	5	5	
36	16½	Barker pf	40	32¾	31	32¾	+ ⅛
10	7¼	Bendall	66	9⅜	9⅛	9⅜	+ ⅛
39	27	Bayuk Cigar	2	37	37	37	
18	10¾	Beatrice Cr	1	14⅞	14⅞	14⅞	
14½	8½	Belding-Hem	78	14	13½	14	+ ⅛
113	85½	Belg N R pf (5.88)	1	112	112	112	— ⅛
23⅞	16⅛	Bendix Aviat	21	19¼	18½	18½	— ⅛
18	12½	Benef Ind In (1½)	6	17¼	17	17⅛	
33⅞	28½	Best & Co (¼g)	5	33⅛	33¾	33⅞	+ ⅛
49⅞	34¾	Bethlehem Stl	54	43½	42¾	43⅜	+ ⅛
82	65½	Beth Stl pf	6	78	78	78	
46	27	Bigelow-San (1s)	10	34½	34½	34½	
16¼	10¾	Blaw-Knox	1	13⅝	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
26	18	Bloomingdale (.10g)	20	23	23	23	— 1
100	88	Bloomingd pf (7)	20	100	99	99	— 1
68¾	58	Bohn Alum (3)	9	63¾	63½	63½	
27½	19⅞	Borden (1.60)	23	23¼	23	23¼	+ ⅛
28⅛	20¾	Borg-Warner (⅛g)	13	25	24¾	24¾	
22¾	12	Briggs Mfg (½g)	32	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	— ⅛
22½	15	Briggs & Strat (1)	4	23⅜	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
35½	21	Bristol My (2.10b)	8	32½	32	32	+ 1
36¾	28½	Bklyn-Man T	10	31¾	30	31¼	+ ⅛
80½	61	Bklyn Un Gas (5)	3	68¾	68½	68½	
10⅝	7	Brunswick-Bal	3	9	9	9	
14¾	10	Bucy-E cvt pf	1	11¼	11¼	11¼	+ ⅛
71	51½	Buck-E 7% pf (2)	20	64½	64½	64½	— ⅛
7¾	5¾	Budd Mfg	2	6	6	6	
37⅝	25	Budd Mfg pf	50	31¾	31½	31½	
6¾	3¾	Budd Wheel	3	4	3¾	4	
15½	12¼	Bullard Co	1	13½	12⅞	13⅛	+ ⅛
16⅛	7	Burns Bros A cts	2	12¾	12¾	12¾	+ ⅛
13½	4	Burns Bros pf	20	10¾	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
19¾	15	Burr Ad Mach (.40)	6	15¾	15¾	15¾	+ ⅛
3	2¼	Bush Term	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	+ ⅛
3¾	2¼	Butte & Sup	1	2¾	2¾	2¾	
6¾	3¾	Butler Bros	3	4¾	4¾	4¾	
3¾	2¼	Butterick	3	3½	3½	3½	
32¾	21⅞	Byers Co	2	27	27	27	
63	47½	Byers pf	50	57½	57	57½	+ 2½
		C					
1¾	⅝	Callahan Z-Ld	2	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	
6¾	4	Calumet & Hec	43	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
15⅞	7⅛	Campbell Wy	3	14½	14½	14½	+ ⅛
24½	24½	Can D G Ale (1)	3	26⅝	26½	26½	
18¼	12¾	Canad Pac	1	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	+ ⅛
9	5¼	Canada Dry (2)	10	27⅞	27½	27⅞	+ ⅛
85	62¼	Case (J I)	1	72	72	72	+ ⅛
32⅜	23½	Caterpil Tract (½)	19	32	31½	31½	— ⅛
44½	33¾	Celanese	18	36⅛	35⅛	35⅝	
3¼	1¼	Celotex ctf	3	3	3	3	
18¾	12½	Celotex pf	140	16⅜	16	16	— ⅛
32½	24	Cent-Agulr (1½)	1	26¼	26⅛	26⅛	
12⅜	7⅜	Century Rib M	1	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅛
40½	31½	Cerro de Pas (1½g)	93	38½	38¾	37⅝	+ 1
3¾	3¼	Certain-teed	1	7¼	7	7	
35	17½	Cert-teed 7% pf	1	34¾	34¾	34¾	
47	39½	Ches & Ohio (2.80)	48	47	46¾	46¾	
47⅜	34	Ches Corp (2½)	58	47⅜	46½	46⅝	
18	6¾	Chi & N W	2	13¾	13	13	
8½	2¼	Chi Gt West	1	4½	4½	4½	
13⅛	11⅛	Chi Gt W pf	1	11	11	11	
8½	4¼	Chi M St P & P	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	
13¼	6¼	Chi M St P & P pf	11	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	
22¼	16½	Chi Pneu Tr pf	28	20	20	20	
8	3⅞	Chi R I & P 5% pf	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	
19⅜	13	Chile Copp	9.30	17⅝	15	17⅜	+ 3⅜
60½	49½	Chrysler (2)	111	53⅞	53	53½	— 1⅜
24⅜	17¼	City Ice & F (2)	2	21⅜	21¼	21⅜	— ⅛
80	67	City I & F pf (6½)	40	80	79½	79½	— ⅛
2½	⅞	City Stra	1	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
1¼	⅝	City Stra pf	15	⅞	⅞	⅞	— ⅛
44	28	Cluett Pea (1)	1	44	44	44	— 1
114⅞	95	Cluett Pea pf (7)	30	114⅜	114⅛	114⅜	
118⅞	95½	Coca-Cola (6)	12	118⅝	114	118⅜	+ ⅛
16½	9⅝	Colgate-Palm	67	17⅝	16⅞	17⅜	+ ⅜
28½	18	Coll & Alk	2	24	24	24	
93	79	Coll & Alk pf (7)	10	91	91	91	— 2
40⅜	27	Col & Sou	20	38½	36	38	
33⅞	20	Col & Sou 1 pf	20	27⅜	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
8¾	3½	Col Fuel & Ir	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	
32	10½	Col P & Lt	20	24	24	24	+ 2½
19¼	11⅝	Colum G & E (1½)	36	15⅛	15	15⅛	
76½	52	Col G & E pf A (6)	2	73	73	73	
30⅜	23	Colum Pict vtc	6	29⅜	28¼	29⅛	— ⅛
71	58	Colum Carb (2¼b)	4	69⅜	69	69⅜	— ⅛
32½	16¾	Comi Credit (1)	4	32⅛	31½	32	
101	91½	Comi Cr 1 pf (6½)	10	101	101	101	+ 1
29	23½	Comi Cr pf (12½)	2.40	27½	27½	27½	
30	24	Comi Cr pf B (3)	10	27⅜	27¼	27⅜	
58½	38¾	Comi Invest Tr (2)	39	58¼	56⅛	58	+ 1⅜
106	91	Comi Inv Tr pf (6b)	1	106	106	106	— ⅛
36⅜	26	Comi Solv (.60)	30	29½	28¾	28⅞	
3¾	1¾	Comwith & Sou	30	2¾	2¾	2¾	+ ⅛
44½	21¾	Com & Sou pf (6)	17	42¼	41½	42¼	+ 1⅜
10½	7¼	Conde Nast	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	
24½	23	Congoleum-Nay (1.30)	3	28½	28½	27⅞	— ⅛
13⅜	4½	Consol Cigar	4	12¼	12⅛	12¼	
54	34	Con Cig pf (7)	20	54	54	54	+ 2
87	48½	Con Cig pf ww (6½)	20	87	85	85	— ⅛
8¾	2½	Con Film Ind	1	4½	4½	4½	
17½	10¾	Con Film pf (1¾k)	1	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	+ ⅛
42⅜	38¼	Con Gas (3)	34	38⅝	37⅝	38⅜	
92½	82	Con Gas pf (5)	4	88½	88	88½	+ ⅛
2¾	2⅛	Con Laundries	1	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	
14½	11¾	Con Oil (.24g)	67	12⅞	12¾	12⅞	+ ⅛
111	108	Con Oil pf (5)	1	111	111	111	+ 1
6¾	2½	Con R R Cuba pf	2	5¼	5	5	— ⅛
2½	1¾	Con Text	28	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	
10⅜	6¾	Container A	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
4	2¾	Container B	6	3¼	3¼	3¼	
14⅜	7	Cont Bak A	11	12⅝	12¼	12½	+ ⅛
2¾	1	Cont Bak B	25	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	
86	46½	Cont Bak pf (4)	1	60	60	60	
84½	71	Cont Can (2½)	7	79½	79	79	— 1
2¾	1¼	Cont Diam	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	
64	44¼	Cont Mot	1	49	49	49	
26⅛	18	Cont Oil Del (.45g)	74	20½	20¼	20⅜	+ ⅛
74¾	58¼	Cont Prod (3)	4	73¼	74½	73¼	+ ⅛
146	135	Corn Prod pf (7)	20	144	144	144	— ⅛
9¾	3¾	Cosden	1	7½	7	7½	+ ⅛
35	28	Cream of Wh (2)	1	32½	32	32½	+ ⅛
18	8	Crosley Rad	1	9	9	9	
40	33½	Cro Cork pf (2.70)	1	39	39	39	
6¾	2¾	Crown Zeller	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	+ ⅛
38¾	23¾	Crucible Stl (3)	1	32½	32	32½	— ⅛
9¾	2½	Cubaneam Sug	7	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
50¾	37	Cudahy Pack (2½)	1	47	47	47	— ⅛
26½	13½	Curtis Pub	41	26⅛	25	25	— ⅛
71	43½	Curtis Pub pf (1¼k)	11	71	70½	69¾	
5¼	2¼	Curtiss-Wright	34	4⅜	4¼	4⅜	
14½	7	Curtiss-Wr A	21	11⅝	11⅜	11⅜	+ ⅛
		D					
34½	26¼	Deere & Co	18	29⅜	29	29⅛	+ ⅛
15⅜	11½	Deere & Co pf (.50)	14	13½	13	13⅜	+ ⅛
33¾	22½	Del Lack & W	9	28¼	28	28	— ⅛
84	63½	Detroit Ed (4)	1	81	81	81	
49½	29	Devoe & Ray A (1½b)	1	45	45	45	+ ⅛
28½	23¾	Diamond Mat (1)	1	24½	24½	24½	— ⅛
40⅜	32	Doma Mines (1½b)	19	32⅞	32⅝	32⅝	— ⅛
23	18	Dominion Stre (1.20)	1	21¼	22	22	+ 1
28½	14½	Douglas Aire	10	23¼	22½	24½	
11⅝	6½	Dunkirk Int	1	11½	11½	11½	
103⅞	99⅝	Du Pont de N (2)	98	98	97½	97¾	— ⅛
101½	99	Duq L & P pf	30	100¾	100¾	100¾	+ ⅛
		E					
18	8⅛	Eastern Roll	2	10	10	10	— ⅛
93¾	79	Eastman Kod (8)	3	89	88¼	88½	+ 1
22⅜	13½	Eaton Mfg (1)	1	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	
8¾	4½	El & Mus	1	6¾	6¾	6¾	
31⅜	18	El Auto L pf	1	28½	28½	28½	+ ⅛
106	80	El Auto L pf (7)	20	101	101	101	
9⅝	4½	El Boat	1	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	+ ⅛
9¾	4½	El Pow & Lt	1	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	
20½	8¾	El P & L pf	5	12	11¾	12	
52	44	El Stor Bat (2)	47	47	46	46⅞	— ⅛
8¾	4½	Emp Pub Svc	1	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	— ⅛
23½	15⅝	Emp P S $5 pf	1	19⅛	18	18	— ⅛
24½	11	Emp P S pf ww	1	13⅝	15¼	15¼	
10⅝	8¼	Equit Off Bldg (1)	3	9¼	9¼	9¼	
13⅜	8¾	Erie R R	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	
28½	16	Erie 1 pf	1	25	26	26	
23¾	9	Evans Prod	89	21¾	21¼	21¾	
		F					
97⅛	71⅛	Fairbanks pf	70	93¾	93	93	— ⅛
14⅝	8	Fairbanks Co pf ctf	30	9¾	9¾	9¾	
18⅜	8	Fed Mot	3	9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	
4	1½	Fed Wat Svc A	1	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	+ ⅛
31	23¾	Fenestrat D Stra (.80)	1	29½	29½	29½	
34½	23⅛	Fid-P Fire Ins (1.20)	1	31½	31½	31½	
26¼	18	Firestone T & R (.40)	3	25⅛	25	25	— ⅛
84⅜	84¼	First Nat Stra (3)	1	84⅜	84	84⅜	
17⅜	9½	Follansbee	3	13	12½	12⅝	— ⅛
22	13	Foster Wheel	9	16⅜	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛
		G					
20	11⅛	Gamewell	20	16¼	15¾	16¼	— ⅜
43⅜	33½	Gen Am Trans (1)	4	41	40⅜	40⅜	
21⅜	15½	Gen Asphalt	11	19½	19	19⅛	— ⅛
16⅜	11	Gen Bak (1)	1	14⅝	13¾	13¾	
106½	101½	Gen Bak pf (5)	60	105	102	102	— ⅛
10½	5¾	Gen Bronze	19	8¾	8	8⅛	
6½	3⅜	Gen Cable	8	6	6	6	
12	6	Gen Cable A	13	12	12	12	
31¼	14½	Gen Cable pf	2	31½	31	31½	+ ⅛
38	27	Gen Cigar (4)	3	34¾	34¾	34¾	+ ⅛
106	97	Gen Cigar pf (7)	10	104¾	104¾	104¾	— ⅛
25¼	18½	Gen Elec (.60)	55	22¼	21¼	21⅜	— ⅛
12¾	11⅜	Gen Elec spl (.80)	8	12¾	12¾	12¾	+ ⅛
36⅛	30½

Steel Buying Rises Sharply On Price Boost

Tonnage Orders Heaviest Since Depression; Shape Awards Drop.

Cleveland, April 9.—Stimulated by price advances ranging from $2 to $8 a ton, effective this week for the second quarter, following the recent increase in iron and steel wages, consumer commitments for steel last week rose to an unexpectedly high level, states the magazine Steel.

Steelmakers estimate tonnage contracted for exceeds by 25 per cent that booked in the first quarter, and the heaviest of any second quarter since the beginning of the depression.

While it is difficult to appraise at this time the volume of consumption from the tonnage engaged, sellers have been restraining speculative buying at their expense, with the result they are convinced business actually reflects a much stronger demand. In this they are supported by the broad, miscellaneous coverage, as well as the increase in buying by the automotive industry and railroads. Anticipating their needs steelmakers have made heavy purchases of scrap, recent sales being close to a half million tons.

Auto Plants Buying.

With their retail markets still on the upgrade and production scheduled for further gains this month, automobile manufacturers alone are contracting for more than 500,000 tons of finished steel.

Railroads are releasing material for equipment recently awarded, and also covering their second quarter requirements. Building operations so far have failed to respond to seasonal influences. But it is believed that with a more clearly defined and rational policy toward capital at Washington progress in the major consuming groups over the remainder of the first half will be irresistible.

Steel price advances to become effective this week include: Sheets and strip $5 to $8 a ton; billets and slabs $3; sheet bars $4; plates, shapes, bars $3; plain wire $3; wire products $5 to $6; skelp $2, with an increase impending on pipe. Tin plate has not been advanced, and the future of the official $36.37½ price on rails which expires April 15 has not been decided.

Price Rise Spreads.

On the basis of these adjustments, the effective dates of which range from April 12 to 15, Steels finished steel composite will be up $3.80, to $54.93, practically level with March, 1930, while iron and steel wages are back to 1929.

The upswing in prices also has spread to raw materials, pig iron raised $1 a ton; Connellsville coke, 35 cents a ton, and Steel's scrap composite, reversing its recent trend, moving up 4 cents to $12.21.

Seldom have specifications followed so quickly on the placing of new contracts, users anxious to obtain all of their April quotas, presaging an increase in steelworks operations this week. Last week, however, the National average was off 1 point to 48 per cent. Detroit dropped 12 points to 88 per cent; Wheeling, 7 to 62; Cleveland, 5 to 67; Buffalo, 2 to 50. New England rose 13 points to 82; Youngstown, 1 point to 55; eastern Pennsylvania, ½ to 35, while Pittsburgh held at 36, Chicago, 48½, and Birmingham, 52.

Awards for Week.

Shape awards for the week dropped to 7,424 tons, less than half the weekly average this year. An inquiry is expected shortly for 240 miles of gas line pipe for a company to supply the Detroit, Pontiac and Flint, Mich., district. New inquiry for railroad equipment includes 500 steel box cars for the Chicago & Great Western, while Lackawanna is about to place 500 freight cars and 20 locomotives.

The Navy is opening bids on 500 tons of chrome-nickel steel sheets. Production of tin and terne plate in March rose 63,000 tons to 164,000 tons, highest for the month since 1931.

Daily average pig iron production last month was up 15.5 per cent to 52,438 gross tons; while total output, 1,625,588 tons, was 27.8 per cent above February. For the first quarter, 4,122,023 tons represents a gain of 147 per cent over last year. Ninety-seven stacks were in blast at the close of March, a net gain of seven.

February iron and steel exports amounted to 151,154 tons; imports, 25,407 tons. For the two months this year exports are 173 per cent higher than last year; imports, 16 per cent.

Pending adjustments in prices this week, Steel's iron and steel composite remained $32.40, and the finished steel composite $51.10.

Netherlands Plan Debt Conversion

What probably will be the largest conversion operation in the history of the Netherlands government financing will follow upon passage of a bill which the Minister of Finance laid before the lower house of parliament on March 7, according to Commercial Attache Jesse F. Van Wickel, The Hague, in a report to the Commerce Department.

The measure authorizes the government to float one or more loans to a maximum of nine hundred million florins ($600,000,000 according to current exchange quotations) for the purpose of reducing the charges for debt service and to permit redemptions more in keeping with conditions expected to prevail a few years hence.

The new loan is to have a maturity of 40 years with certain provisos for earlier redemption and is to retire certain outstanding loans.

Gold Flakes in Well.

Oroville, Calif., April 9 (U.P.).—Aubrey Ward, rancher, pumped water from his well and discovered gold flakes worth 30 cents in a pail of water. Now he plans to turn his well into a mine. The gold is believed to have come from a prehistoric gravel bed crossed by the well shaft at the 80-foot level.

Transactions on N. Y. Curb Market

(Associated Press.)

Total stocks sales yesterday, 227,000 shares; year ago, 201,180 shares; total bond sales yesterday, $3,500,000; year ago, $3,367,000.

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
.25 Adams Mil 1 pf (7)	100	100	100
1 Air Inv war	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 Allied Mills	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
2.50 Alum Co pf (1½)	73¼	72	72¼
1 Alum Goods (.40)	10¼	10¼	10¼
1 Am Cap A	2¼	2¼	2¼
2 †Am Cit*&LB	2⅞	2⅝	2⅞
16 Am Cyan B (⅛g)	20¾	20¼	20¾
3 Am & Frn P war	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
.25 Am Found D pf	30	30	30
1 Am Gas & El (1g)	25⅝	25¼	25¼
3 Am Light & T(1.80)	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
3 †Am Maracaibo	1	1	1
19 Am Sup Power	3¼	3⅛	3⅛
1 Am Sup P 1 pf (6)	64¾	64¾	64¾
1 Anch Post F	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 Ark Nat Gas	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
4 Ark Nat Gas A	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
2 Ark Nat Gas pf	3	3	3
10 †Art Met Wks	4½	4¾	4¾
1 As G & E	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
7 †As G & E L A	1⅛	1	1⅛
1 Atl Cst Fish	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
7 Atlas Corp	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝
3 Atlas Corp pf A (3)	48	47½	47½
9 Atlas Corp war	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
1 Atlas Ply	7	7	7
7 †Auto V Mach	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
B			
.30 Baumann L pf	20	19¾	20
1 †Bellanca Aircr	5¼	5¼	5¼
1 Bliss E W	8¼	8¼	8¼
1 †Blue Ridge	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
.50 Borne Scrym	8	8	8
.50 Brown Bilt Hol 2 pf	1	1	1
1 Brill A	1¾	1¾	1¾
5 Brit Celan	3½	3½	3½
3 †Brown F Dist	19	18¾	18¾
.50 Buckeye P L (3)	32	32	32
1 Buf N&EP pf (1.60)	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞
1 Buf N&EP 1 pf (5)	72	72	72
3 †Bulova Wat pf	25¼	25	25¼
2 Bunk Hill & S	52½	50½	52½
7 Butler Bros	10⅝	10½	10⅝
C			
1 †Cab R Tube vtc	⅜	⅜	⅜
2 Cab K Wire A	1½	1½	1½
5 Can Marc Wire	3	2⅞	3
1 Carib Syn	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
3 Carnation (½g)	16	16	16
11 Catalin Corp Am	4¾	4¾	4¾
.50 Celanese pf (7)	98½	98½	98½
.75 Celanese 1st pf (7)	101	101	101
.50 Celluloid pf	31	31	31
5 Cen St El	1⅝	1½	1½
7 †Charis (1)	15	13⅞	15
2 Chi Riv & Mach	9	8⅞	9
1 Chesebro (4½b)	125	125	125
1 Chief Consol	1¼	1¼	1¼
21 Cities Service	2⅞	2¾	2⅞
1 Cit Serv pf	16¾	16¾	16¾
1 Cit Svc P 7 pf	20	20	20
5 Claude Neon Lts	¾	¾	¾
1 Colon Oil	3	2⅞	3
1.25 Colum G&E (.60)	94½	94	94½
6 Colum O & G vtc	1¼	1¼	1¼
2 Comwith Edis (4)	56½	56½	56½
7 Comwith & So war	⅜	⅜	⅜
9 Cons Aircr	11¾	11	11¾
4 Cons Coop Min	1¼	1¼	1¼
3 Cons G&E Bal(3.60)	59	59	59
3 Cord Corp (⅛g)	7	6⅞	7
1 Corroon & Rey	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
1 Courtaulds (.219g)	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜
5 Creole Pet	11¼	11¼	11¼
14 †Cresson Gold (.12)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1 Crocker Wh	6¾	6¾	6¾
7 †Crown C Pet	1¼	1¼	1¼
4 †Cusi Mex	1½	1⅜	1½
D			
1 †Dan Reeves (1)	13½	13¼	13½
1 Darby Pet (⅛g)	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜
9 Detroit Aircraft	½	½	½
13 Dist Co Ltd (.27g)	24¾	24	24¾
4 Dist Corp Seag	19½	19¼	19¾
3 †Doehler D Cast	8¼	8¼	8¼
1 Dow Chem (2)	81¾	81¾	81¾
1 †Dubilier Con	¼	¼	¼
E			
1 Eagle Pich Lead	5¾	5¾	5¾
.50 East G&F p pf(4½)	70	70	70
.50 East G&F 6 pf (6)	65	65	65
F			
3 Easy WashMB(½g)	7¾	7½	7½
4 Edis Bros Strs	22	21¾	22
1 †Eisler Elec	⅞	⅞	⅞
12 El Bond & Sh	17	16¾	16¾
1 El Bond&Sh pf (8)	50¾	50¾	50¾
.50 Emp Dis El pf	17	17	17
.50 Emp G&E 7 pf	19½	19½	19½
1 †Equity Corp	1¾	1¾	1¾
2 Europ El A (.40)	12½	12½	12½
4 †Ex-cello A&T	6¾	6¾	6¾
F			
2 †Fairchild Av A	7¾	7¾	7¾
1 †Falcon Lead	¼	¼	¼
2 †Falstaff Brew	5¾	5¾	5¾
5 Fansteel	3¾	3¾	3¾
1 †Ferro Enam (.45b)	11¾	11¾	11¾
5 †Fidelity Brew	2	1¾	2
5 Fisk Rub	17¾	17¼	17¾
4 Ford M Can A (1e)	24¾	24	24
3 Ford M Fran	3¾	3¾	3¾
23 Ford Mot Ltd	7¾	7¾	7¾
.25 Franklin Mfg pf	2¼	2¼	2¼
G			
1 Gen Alloys	3	3	3
4 Gen Invest	1½	1½	1½
1 Gen Outdoor	18	18	18
2.10 Gen Pub S pf	48¼	47	48¼
1 Gen Rayon A	2	2	2
2.75 Gen T & Rub	96½	94	96½
.25 Georg Pow pf (6)	58¾	58¾	58¾
1 †Gilbert (A C)	3¾	3¾	3¾
2 Glen Alden	17¼	17	17¼
2 Godchaux Sug B	9¼	9¼	9¼
7 †Gold Seal Elec	⅛	⅛	⅛
124 Goldfield Con	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 Gorh Inc	4	4	4
2 Gorh Mfg vtc (¾g)	18½	18½	18½
2 GhMfg vtc ext(¾g)	18½	18½	18½
1 †Grand Rap V (.20)	6¼	6¼	6¼
10 Gt Atl & P w rts (7b)	135	135	135
1.30 Gt A&P 1st pf (7)	126	126	126
5 Greyhound	13¼	12¾	12¾
17 Gulf Oil Pa	67½	65½	65½
H			
4 Hall Lamp (.10g)	5¾	5¾	5¾
1 †Hamilton Gas vtc	⅜	⅜	⅜
8 †Hartman Tob	3	2⅞	2⅞
3 †Hazeltine	10¾	10¼	10¼
1 †Hearn Dpt	1¼	1¼	1¼
7 †Hir Walker	44¾	43½	43½
2 †Hir Walker pf (1)	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝
21 Holling Gold (.90b)	18¾	17⅞	18⅛
97 †Hudson Bay M&S	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
4 Humble Oil (1)	44¾	44¾	44¾
.50 Hyrade Sylv (2)	24	23	23
2 Imp Oil Can (½)	14¾	14¼	14¾
2 Imp Oil Ca reg (½)	14¼	14¼	14¼
1 Indus Fin ctfs	2¾	2¾	2¾
1 Ins Co N Am (2)	46¾	46¾	46¾
.25 Int Hyd-El pf (3½)	24¼	24¼	24¼
3 †Int Mining	14	14	14
1 Int Mining war	5⅞	5¾	5⅞
58 Internat Pet (1.12)	24¾	24¾	24¾
1 Inter Util B	1	1	1
1 †Intern Hos (.12)	27½	27½	27½
3 Iron Cap Cop	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
2 †Ital Superpow A	2½	2	2
J			
2 Jones & Lau Stl	⅞	⅞	⅞
K			
2.60 †Kerr Lake	35	34¾	36
1 Kirby Pet (.10e)	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
11 Kirkl Lake G M	⅛	⅛	⅛
L			
10 Lake Shore M (3b)	54¼	53¾	53¾
2 Lakey Fdy & M	2½	2½	2½
2 †Leonard Oil	⅝	⅝	⅝
1 †Lerner Strs	25½	25	25¼
2 Lib McN & L	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
1.50 Lobelo w Groc A(.80)	17¾	16¾	17¾
1 L Star Gas (.64f)	6½	6½	6½
1 Long Is Lt	5½	5½	5½
47 †Louis L & E	3¾	3¼	3¾
M			
8 †McCord Rad B	4¾	4¼	4¼
12 †Mavis Bott A	1½	1	1½
.25 Metro Ed pf (6)	69¾	69¾	69¾
4 Mid St Pet A vtc	3¼	3	3
2 Mid West Util	1¼	1	1¼
1 Mining Co Can	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 Miss R F Bond ri	1½	1½	1½
170 †Molybdenum vtc	9½	8¾	8¾
.70 Montg Ward A (7k)	114	113¾	113¾
1 Mount Prod (.60)	4¾	4¾	4¾
2 Murphy Co (1.60)	65	62	65
N			
35 †Nat Bellas Hess	4	3½	3½
1 †Nat Container	34	34	34
O			
2 †Nat Invest	1⅞	1¾	1¾
1.50 Nat P&L pf (6)	57	56	56
4 †Nat Rub Mch	7	6¾	7
17 Nat Service	1⅛	⅛	1⅛
3 †Nat Un Rad	¾	¾	¾
.50 †Natomas Co(7½b)	98	98	98
2 Natomas Co new	10	10	10
1.25 †Nelson (H) (7)	86	85	86
2 New Bradford(.10g)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
5 N Mex & Ariz	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
17 †Newmont Min(½g)	55½	53	55½
1 NY Merchan (1½)	31	31	31
1 NY Shipbd Pd (.40)	19¼	19¼	19¼
.25 NY Tel pf (6)	118¾	118¾	118¾
4 Niag Hud Pow	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
3 Niag Hud A war	⅛	⅛	⅛
4 Niag Sh Md B	5¼	4¾	4¾
1 †Nipissing Mines	2¾	2¾	2¾
5 †Nitrate E	¼	¼	¼
.25 Nor Am L & Ppf	9	9	9
1 Northam War cv pf	33¼	33¼	33¼
2 †Nor Cent Texas	3¾	3½	3¾
1 Nor St P A(¼g)	22½	22½	22½
O			
3 Ohio Brass B	15¾	15¼	15¼
8 †Ohio Cop	¼	¼	¼
1 Ohio Oil pf (6)	86	86	86
.40 Ohio Pow pf (6)	83	83	83
1 †Oilstocks (.20g)	9⅞	9¾	9¾
1 Outbrd Mot A	3½	3½	3½
1 Outbrd Mot B	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
P			
4 †Pac Eastern	2¼	2¼	2¼
2 Pac G&E 1 pf (1½)	22½	22½	22½
2.50 Pac Lighting pf (6)	87¼	86¾	86¾
1 †Pan-Am Airways	40	40	40
13 †Pantepec Oil	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
1 Parke Davis(1.10b)	24½	24½	24½
2.50 Park Rust-Pr (3)	60¾	60	60
1 Penn Gas&EIA(⅝g)	12	12	12
16 Pennroad	3¼	3½	3½
.10 Pepperell (6)	89¾	89¾	89¾
1 Phila Co (.80)	12½	12½	12½
28 Philip Morris Cons	7¾	7½	7¾
4 †Phoenix Sec	1¾	1¾	1¾
56 †Pioneer Gold (.60)	14¼	14	14
.25 Pitts Bess&LE(1½)	34	34	34
2.75 Pitts Pl Gl (1.10b)	50	49½	50
4 †Potrero Sugar	2¾	2¾	2¾
9 Preminer Gld (.12)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
18 Prod Roy	¼	¼	¼
31 †Propper McCall	1½	1	1½
1 Pub Svc No Ill	18¼	18¼	18¼
.30 Pug Sd P 5 pf	12	12	12
.10 Pug Sd P 6 pf	8	8	8
.20 Pure Oil pf	52¾	52	52¾
R			
31 †Reiter-Fost	⅝	½	½
4 Reybarn Inc	2½	2¼	2½
24 Reynolds Inv	1¼		
2 Rice S R Cr (½g)	11¼	11	11
5 Rich Oil pf	2¼	2⅛	2⅛
5 Ryan Cons	2¾	2¼	2¼

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
S			
3 Safety C H&L (4)	78	76	76
2 †St Anth Gold	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 St Regis Pap	3⅝	3½	3⅝
.10 St Regis Pap pf	38½	38½	38½
10 Salt Cr Prod (.80)	7½	7½	7½
18 †Schiff Co (2)	38	37	38
1 Schulte R Est	⅛	⅛	⅛
.50 Scovill Mfg (1)	24¾	24½	24½
2 Seaboard Util	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 †Selected Indus	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
.50 †Sel I (al.ctf) (5½)	53¾	53¾	53¾
2 †Shattuck Denn	23¾	23¾	23¾
16 †Shenandoah	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1.50 Sherwin-Wms (2)	65½	65	65
3 Silver King C (.60)	10	9½	10
3 †Smith A O	33¼	32½	32½
5 †Sonotone	3¾	3¾	3¾
5 So Am G&Pl (.10g)	4½	4¼	4½
5 So Penn Oil (1.20)	23¾	23	23
3 So C Ed B pf (1½)	20½	20⅜	20½
5 So C Ed C pf (1⅝)	18½	18½	18½
3 †Southland R (.20)	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
1 †Stand Brew Scran	2¼	2¼	2¼
36 St Oil Ind (1)	27¼	27	27¼
13 St Oil Ky (1)	17¼	17	17¼
1 St Oil Ohio	24	24	24
1 St Pow&L pf (2.10)	25¼	25¼	25¼
12 †Stand Sil-Lead	⅛	⅛	⅛
3 †Starrett	11	11	11
2 †Starrett pf	21¾	21¾	21¾
7 †Stein Cosmetics	1¼	1¼	1¼
4 †Stutz Mot Am	5½	5¼	5½
2 †Sunray Oil	1½	1½	1½
36 Swift & Co (½)	18¼	18	18
7 Swift Int (2)	29¾	29¾	29¾
1.50 †Swiss-Am El pf	47¼	47	47
T			
1 Tampa El (2.24)	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
37 Tastyeast A	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1 Technicolor	8¼	8¼	8¼
19 †Teck-Hu G(.60)XD	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
1 Todd Ship (1)	23½	23½	23½
1 †Transcont Air	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
2 †Trans-Lux (.10g)	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
2 Tubize Chat A	26¾	25½	25¾
2 †Tung-Sol Lamp	6⅛	6½	6⅞
3 †Tung Sol L pf (3)	29	28½	28½
U			
2 †Union Am Inv	22½	22½	22½
1 Union Gas Canada	5	5	5
1 Unit Corp war	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
16 Unit Founders	1½	1	1
20 United Gas	3	2⅞	3
7 Unit Gas pf	35¾	35¾	35½
2 Un Lt&Pow A	3½	3⅜	3½
4 Un Lt&P cv pf	15½	15	15½
32 Un Molasses Ltd	6¾	6¾	6¾
1.25 Unit Shoe M (5b)	62	62	62
1 †U S & I Sec pf	50	50	50
1 U S Elec Pow	⅛	⅛	⅛
10 U S Elec Pow war	3-32	3-32	3-32
54 U S Foil B (½)	10¾	9¾	10¼
4.75 U S Play Cd (1)	27½	26½	27½
4 Unit Stores vtc	⅞	⅞	⅞
7 Unit Verde (1)	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 Univer Pict	5	4½	4½
15 Utah Apex M	2¾	2¾	2½
31 Utah Power & Lt	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1 Util & Ind pf	3¾	3¾	3¾
V			
16 †Venezuel Pet	⅞	¾	¾
W			
1 †Wayne Pump	1½	1½	1½
31 †Wenden Cop	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 †West Va C & C	3½	3½	3½
2 Woolwth Ltd(.457g)	24¾	24¾	24¾
66 Wright Harg (½b)	10¼	9¾	10
Y			
.50 Youngstown S&T pf	57	56½	57
6 †Yukon Gold	1	1	1
DOMESTIC BONDS.			
A			
2 Ala Pow 5 '46	84¾	84⅛	84¾
1 Ala Pow 5 '51	78½	77⅝	77⅝
23 Alumin Co 5 '52	102	101¼	101¼
2 Alumin Ltd 5 '48	88	87¼	87¼
23 Am El s 5 '57A	15¾	15¼	15¼
15 Am G&E 5 2028	87½	87	87
4 Am G & Pow 6 '39	25½	25½	25½
4 Am G & Pow 5 '53	21½	21	21
13 Am P&L 5 2016	59¾	59	59½
13 Am Roll M 5 '56	104¾	104¾	104¾
13 Appal El Pw 5 '56	95	94⅜	94½
67 Ark P&L 5 '56	73¾	72	73⅜
53 As Elec 4½ '53	38¾	38	38⅜
11 As G&E 5½ '58IC	20¼	20¼	20½
18 As G & E 5 '50	19¼	18¾	18¾
18 As G & E 5½ '77	22¾	21½	21½
12 As G & E 5 '68	19¼	18¾	19
12 As G & E 4½ '49C	17¾	17¾	17¾
2 As Rayon 5 '50	77	77	77
2 As Tel Ut 5½ '44	17½	17½	17½
10 As Tel Ut5½ '44ctf	18	18	18
4 As T & T 5½ '55A	57⅞	57¼	57⅞
4 Atlas Plyw 5½ '43	74½	74½	74½
B			
5 Baldwin L 6 '38ww	131¼	131¼	131¼
3 Baldw Loc 6 '38 xw	93⅞	93¾	93¾
11 Bell T Can 5 '55 A	108¼	108	108¼
1 Bell T Can 5 '55 B	107¾	107¾	107¾
5 Bell T Can 5 '60 C	107¾	107¾	107¾
1 Bingh LH&P 5 '46	98¼	98¼	98¼
3 Birming Gas 5 '59	58½	58¾	58½
C			
11 Can N R E 7 '35E	104¼	104¼	104¼
11 Can Pac 6 '42	115¾	114¾	114¾
11 Caro P&L 5 '56	71¾	71¼	71⅜
1 Cedar R Mfg 5 '53	109	108¼	108¼
2 Cen Ark L&P 5 '57	70	69½	70
1 Cen Ill P S 5 '56E	89½	89½	89½
11 Cen Ill P S 5 '68 G	67½	66¾	67½
6 Cen Ill P S 4½ '67F	63¾	63¾	63¾
1 Cen Ind G 5 '56	98	98	98
13 Cen P & L 5 '56	56½	55¾	55¾
2 Cen Pow 5 '57 D	52¾	52½	52¾
19 Cen St El 5½ '54	43½	43½	43½
19 Cen St El 5 '48	42½	42	42
3 Cen S P&L 5½ '53	46¼	45¾	46¼
12 Cent Ill P 4½ '70	83¾	83¾	83¾
10 Chi Dist 4½ '70	96¾	96¾	96¾
5 Chi Pn Tool 5½ '42	73½	73½	73½
8 Chi Ry cod 5 '27	53½	52½	53¼
1 Cities Ser 5 '66	42½	42½	42½
25 Cities Ser 5½ '50	43¾	43½	43¾
3 Cit S Gas 5½ '42	61	61	61
2 Cit S G Pipe 6 '43	72¼	72¼	72¼
10 Cit S P&L 5½ '49	40	39¾	39¾
2 Cit S Pow 5½ '52	39½	39½	39¾
1 Clev E Ill 5½ '51	107¾	107¼	107½
4 Comw'l Ed 5 '53 A	104	103¾	103¾
4 Comw'l Ed 5 '54 B	103¾	103¾	103¾
3 Comw'l Ed 4½ '56C	98	98	98
3 Comw'l Ed 5 '57D	99	99	99
11 Comw'l Ed4½ '60E	99	99	99
22 Comw'l Ed 4 '81 F	90	89¾	90
11 Comw'l Ed5½ '63G	106¾	105¾	105¾
79 Comw'l Sub5½ '48A	85½	84½	84½
14 Commun P&L 5½ '57	84¾	84¼	84¾
1 Conn Riv P 5 '52	102¾	102¾	102¾
4 Con GEL&P 4½ '35	103½	103	103
1 Con GEL Ba 4 '81	102	102	102
1 Con Gas Ut6½ '43A	9	8	9
13 Con Gas Utica 5 '43	45¼	44½	44½
3 Consum P 5 '36	104¾	104¾	104¾
10 Consum P 4½ '58	103¾	103¼	103¼
25 Cont G&E 5 '58 A	49¾	49	49¾
4 Cont Oil 5¼ '37	103	102¾	103
2 Corrug Co 5 '43	97¾	97¾	97¾
15 Crucible St 5 '40	91	90¼	90¾
2 Cudahy P 5½ '37	103¾	103¾	103¾
D			
1 Dallas P&L 6 '49	109	109	109
3 Dall P&L 5 '52	103	103	103
5 Dayton P&L 5 '41	106¼	106	106
9 Del El Pw 5½ '59	88	86	88
1 Denver G&E 5 '49	104½	104½	104½
2 Derby G&E 5 '48	79¼	79¼	79¼
2 Det Ed 5 '33	100¼	100¼	100¼
9 Det C Gas 5 '50 B	90	89¾	90
E			
6 Ed El Ill 5 '35	102¾	102¼	102½
1 Ed El Ill 5 '36	101	101	101
21 El Paso 5½ '65 A	61½	60½	61⅛
86 Elec P&L 5 2030	41½	40	41
12 Elmira Wat L 5 '56	83	83	83
4 Empire Dis E 5 '52	64¾	64	64¾
19 Emp O&R 5½ '42	63½	62¾	63
F			
7 Fed Water 5½ '54	34¾	34¼	34¼
26 Fstone Cot M 5 '48	99	98½	99
24 Fla P 5½ '79 A	70	69½	70
Fla P 5½ '79 A	74¼	74¼	74¼
G			
7 Gary E&G 5 '34 A	46	45½	46
7 Gatin P 5 '56	91¾	91¾	91¾
4 Gatin P 5 '41	89	88½	89
1 Gatin P 5 '41 B	87¼	87¼	87¼
8 Gen Bronze 6 '40	70	70	70
1 Gen Pub S 5 '53	78	78	78
12 Gen Pub Ut 6½ '56	39¼	38½	39¼
2 Gen Rayon 6 '48	52¼	51½	52¼
12 Gen Refrac 6 '38ww	123½	122½	122½
6 Gen

Britain Asks Germany About Arms Increase

Envoy Told to Demand Explanation on Eve of Conference.

London, April 9 (AP).—Great Britain asked Germany today—and expects an answer within a week—about her projected increased armaments.

This was revealed by Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, in the House of Commons on the eve of a meeting of the disarmament bureau in Geneva, a session which may be the turning point in a long controversy.

Replying to questions as to the nature of the German proposals and estimates and whether they are permitted under the Versailles treaty, Sir John said:

"The government is giving serious consideration to this matter. I have instructed the British Ambassador in Berlin to make inquiries of the German government."

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald declined to commit himself concerning Britain's next disarmament move in the face of the German proposals to increase her army, navy and air force. He indicated that the government will await the outcome of the session in Geneva tomorrow. Anthony Eden, lord privy seal and arms expert, left today for Switzerland to represent Britain.

What Today Means

The woman born on April 10 will find existence much more alluring if she does not go around continually with a chip on her shoulder. Avoid being contentious. You are too prone to think that people go out of their way to offend and many times an entirely innocent remark, made in a jocular way, causes your resentment, when no affront was intended. Do your best to overcome being supersensitive.

The child born on April 10, as it grows up, will pass through a phase where it would rather have a good scrap than eat. Do not let this characteristic disturb you in the slightest degree, for it will prove to be only one of the periodic changes in the child's life, and is brought on by a superabundance of energy. Children born on April 10, as a matter of fact, have a great deal of tender affection, and would not deliberately do anything to hurt anyone. By pointing out the errors of its ways, they will be corrected.

The woman born on April 10 should curb any tendency she has of being overly inquisitive regarding the personal affairs of her friends. Being rather secretive in regard to your own private matters, it may prove discreet to recognize the rights of others in this respect and not insist on knowing what they many times apparently do not care to tell.

The man born on April 10, as a general thing, loves an argument, providing, however, that he, and he alone, dominates the situation. Your popularity will increase tremendously if you accord others the right to express their views without your becoming offended. With the many fine, sterling qualities you possess, among which is an unusually keen mentality, this one fault should be easily rectified. A good motto for you to remember is: "Shoemaker, stick to your last." Many people, whose natal day this is, too frequently try sticking their thumbs in pies hoping to pull out plums, without their knowing they actually contain any, and then are disappointed at the results. Know what the pie is made of before putting your finger in it.

Successful people born on April 10:

Edward Robinson, biblical scholar and explorer.

Fanny Davenport, actress.

Lewis Wallace, soldier, lawyer and author.

Louise Chandler Moulton, novelist and poet.

Alfred T. Bricher, artist.

Benjamin H. Day, founder of New York Sun.

Indians to Have Full Freedom for Rituals

Fort Hall, Idaho (U.P.).—Indians of the United States will be permitted freedom of religion and tribe ceremonies, John Collier, Indian commissioner, has notified Fort Hall Indian reservation officials.

Many Governmental schools located on Indian reservations are depriving their students of arts and crafts of their forefathers, the notice said. These activities must be encouraged instead of prohibited.

Transfers

Army and Navy Shifts Are Announced Here.

(Associated Press.)

Navy orders yesterday included:

COMMANDER.

Alfred G. Zimmermann, Newport, R. I., instructor Navy War College.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDERS.

James G. Atkins, staff commander, battle force to staff, C. in C. U. S. Fleet. Harry V. Baugh, Naval War College, to Philadelphia. Francis C. Denebrink, staff commander, battle force to staff, C. in C. U. S. Fleet. John R. Redman, Navy Department, to staff commander destroyers battle force.

LIEUTENANTS.

Roy R. Darron, Buffalo, to U. S. S. Trenton. John J. Gaskin, Naval Hospital, Washington, to further treatment Norfolk Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, Va. John E. Gingrich, U. S. S. Indianapolis, to U. S. S. Houston.

LIEUTENANTS (J. G.)

John C. Alderman, VS Squadron 2S (U. S. S. Saratoga), to VP Squadron 3P. Rex L. Black, U. S. S. California, to VP Squadron 4P. John L. Melgaard, U. S. S. Chicago, to staff commander Cruiser Div. 4.

ENSIGNS.

Oscar R. Hagberg, continue duty U. S. S. Arkansas. Clark A. Ritchie, continue duty U. S. S. Herbert. George R. Stone, Aircraft, battle force, to U. S. S. Saratoga.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

CHIEF MACHINISTS.

Thomas H. Cormack, detached U. S. S. Marblehead; continue treatment Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Wash.; granted two months' sick leave; on expiration, to Submarine Base, New London, Conn. Andrew C. Skinner, Philadelphia, to U. S. S. Allegheny.

CHIEF GUNNER.

John W. Hutchinson, Fort Mifflin, Philadelphia, to Washington.

DEATHS.

Lieut. Comdr. Charles Clark Ammerman, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired, died March 20 at Naval Hospital, San Diego.

Morgenthau, Payne Open Red Cross Parley

Wide World Photo.

Henry Morgenthau, sr. (left), father of the Treasury Secretary, was the chief speaker yesterday at the opening of the annual convention of the American Red Cross. At the right is John Barton Payne, chairman of the Red Cross, as he called the first session to order at Memorial Continental Hall.

Wide World Photo.

DAVID COOK, 14-year-old St. Louis boy, who addressed the Red Cross convention yesterday as spokesman for the 6,000,000 members of the Junior Red Cross.

Freedom First, Says De Valera

Britain Warned Ireland Will Sever All Ties if Necessary.

Sydney, Australia, April 9 (AP). President Eamon de Valera, of the Irish Free State, said in an interview in the Sydney Sun today that Ireland is prepared to sever the last ties binding her to the British Commonwealth of Nations, if necessary, to obtain independence from Britain.

De Valera emphasized that Ireland does not desire to break away completely from other British dominions.

He explained that the Irish Free State genuinely wishes friendly relations with the dominions, but said this is completely subsidiary to the paramount demand for complete severance—economically and politically—from England.

To Australians and Canadians, England might be regarded as the mother country, De Valera said, but to him she is an "invader who destroyed Irish sovereignty." He warned that if Irish independence can be obtained only through a complete break with the other dominions, the Irish Free State is ready to take even that step.

Traffic Officer Right At Home With Model

Lakewood, Ohio (U.P.).—Officer G. H. Campbell, Lakewood's instructor in traffic safety, was called before Police Chief L. B. Miller recently. On the chief's desk was a moving picture projection machine.

"I thought maybe you might be able to use this in your school lectures. The auto club has some accident prevention reels. Think you can learn to operate it?"

"Can I learn to operate it?" Campbell repeated. "I owned a theater in Akron for five years and dropped $12,000 in it when I closed up and joined the force here eight years ago."

Two guards at the Kansas penitentiary were suspended for failure to observe two convicts trying to scale the walls.

By following instructions of the State College of Agriculture, a Kentucky farmer installed waterworks in his house, barn and poultry yard at a cost of $40.

Nations Agree To Hike Export Wheat Prices

Committee Named to Work Out Best Method of Procedure.

Rome, April 9 (AP).—An agreement on the principle of raising the export price of wheat was reached by the World Wheat Advisory Commission today.

This was indicated by an official communique which stated a committee of representatives of eight countries was appointed to work out a method of putting the principle of a minimum export price into effect.

Australia, Canada, the United States, England, Germany, France Russia and the Danubian nations were assigned places. Argentina will not be represented tomorrow because delegates of that country did not want a committee that large.

The committee was named after delegates clashed on four different ways of reaching a minimum export price.

The communique said that "the discussions today brought clearly into prominence a general desire for improvement in world wheat export prices.

"The advantages of such an improvement to exporting countries are obvious. Representatives of importing countries also were in general agreement that their governments hoped to see an upward movement in export prices of wheat because of the general effect in world trade which an improvement in the price of the world's most important agricultural commodity would undoubtedly effect."

Owing to the record European wheat crop and the large Argentine crop, export prices, instead of being higher, as hoped for when the London agreement was concluded, are in effect lower, the communique stated.

Invention Aids Phone Users

English Device Prevents Errors in Dialing, Speeds Service.

London (U.P.).—An invention for fool-proofing automatic telephones against butter-fingered dialers shortly will be available to British phone users.

This new gadget is called the auto-dial. It is a small, box-like machine, which has a range of 50 specified numbers, which are automatically called by setting a metal pointer at the required number, and depressing a lever.

The numbers which the subscriber most frequently uses are marked on a card at the top of the instrument. Cogs are cut in a series of discs inside the instrument to correspond with the numbers. The machine, as well as eliminating errors in dialing, speeds up the service.

Another new device now being fitted to telephone exchange switchboards times long distance calls. As soon as the conversation commences, the operator moves a key which operates a rotary switch, and this throws the number of minutes on a display panel in front of the operator. When the subscriber replaces the receiver, the time check stops automatically.

6,000,000 Idle "Assured" U. S. After Recovery

Illinois Economist Peers Into Future and Tells What He Sees.

Urbana, Ill., April 9 (AP).—When Dr. Edward Berman, of the University of Illinois department of economics, looks into the future of America this is what he sees:

Periods of normalcy during which the ranks of unemployed will total 10,000,000 persons.

Eras of prosperity when the jobless will be "reduced" to 6,000,000 dependent upon the public.

Not a pleasant picture to be sure, says Dr. Berman, who believes if any attempt is made to meet the problem of unemployment it must be while hardships of recent years are still fresh in mind.

Summing it up, Dr. Berman says: "We're in for unemployment, recovery or no recovery.

"During periods of prosperity, employers try to find better methods of production. They increase efficiency by installing machines to replace workers.

"When income decreases and overhead mounts proportionately, they are under increased pressure. Mechanical improvements come faster, and fewer workers are needed."

Be that as it may, Dr. Berman says, the time has now come to accept unemployment. Three courses are open, as he sees it, in the treatment of those affected:

They either must be left to starve, or they must be provided for by private and public charity. A third alternative—unemployment insurance—probably is the answer to the problem, says Dr. Berman.

Infra-Red Rays Show Light 'End' 10 Million Years Away

New Photographic Aid Permits Astronomic Triumph.

New York, (U.P.)—Photographs taken by means of film sensitized to infra-red "dark light" rays have shown that after a distance of 10,000,000 light years has been reached, the universe is empty.

"Dark light," for which the infra-red ray is famous, generally shows a reddening on the photographic plate when stellar dust in the form of meteors, distant planets, etc., are present. In these photographs, however, no such reddening was recorded. This indicates, according to Dr. Harlow Shapley, of the Harvard Observatory, that the floating stardust and galaxies, generally considered to fill the entire universe, cease to exist beyond the 10,000,000 light year limit.

Light Years.

Incidently, a light year is the distance light travels in a year moving at the rate of 186,324 miles per second. It is the yardstick of modern astronomy.

Essentially, this is a signal victory for astronomers and astrophysicists. As an illustration to scientists in general of the power contained in the infra-red ray, it is more important, and portends what may be expected in the future.

Aerial photographs of Mount Everest made during the recent flights by British aviators were made possible mainly through the use of film sensitized to these rays. Landscape photos have been made in the United States, at a horizontal distance of 300 miles, and have been of much assistance to cartographers because, by increasing the height and distance, a wider area may be charted.

Aid to Medicine.

In medicine, infra-red rays have proven of inestimable value. Skin diseases, ordinarily difficult to locate and diagnose, have been rendered visible through the photographs of the afflicted sections.

The commercial world, particularly the textile industry, has profited by the use of the rays; chemists engaged in experiments upon dyestuffs have made possible a wider selection of dyed cloths for tropical wear. Results are obtained by determining which cloths and dyes absorb the most sun's rays.

Besides their purely scientific applications, the infra-red rays have been put to uses more familiar to the layman. For instance, in the "Home of Tomorrow" built by the Westinghouse people at Mansfield, Ohio, an infra-red ray lamp has been installed. By throwing a switch, after having bathed, one may bask in the gentle warmth which characterizes the "dark light" emitted by it.

In its relation to other rays the infra-red ray is slightly longer than that of ordinary visible light. Radio waves of the regular broadcast band are more than a mile long, whereas the ultra-short radio wave is half an inch in length and the cosmic ray is infinitesimally short.

"Sea Serpent" Tales Revive Old Memories

Ancient Mariners' Tell How Monsters Rose Up From Depths.

New Haven, Conn. (U.P.).—The present popular interest in "sea serpents," such as at Loch Ness, Scotland, is not the first in our history, according to Prof. Stanley C. Ball, curator of zoology at Yale's Peabody Museum.

In the eighteenth century, giant quids attracted wide attention and one of these monsters was washed upon the Newfoundland shores in 1873. It measured 42 feet in length and was restored under direction of J. H. Emerton and Prof. Addison Emery Verrill. The "serpent" now is on exhibition at Peabody and is the largest invertebrate animal known.

Huge Girth.

It has a huge cylindrical body, the girth of which is 8 feet at its widest point, and which tapers to a caudal fin measuring 2½ feet across. From a huge head extend eight arms, each measuring between 12 and 15 feet and two tremendous tentacles between 29 and 30 feet long.

Each tentacle terminates in a "manus," or hand, more than 30 inches in length, having more than a score of suckers at the widest portion, each sucker being an inch in diameter.

Quids, says Dr. Ball, swim backward, some remarkably fast. What they eat is not definitely known, but they themselves are food for sperm whales, who lop off a 20- to 30-foot arm, or bite huge chunks from the body. Usually they follow the Gulf stream.

Hatchets Saved Pair.

A giant octopus was captured by a Capt. Campbell, of the schooner B. D. Haskins, out of Gloucester, Mass., more than 60 years ago and two years later two men in a small boat in Conception Bay, N. F., were attacked by a large octopus which threw two of its arms across the boat. The men saved themselves by chopping off the arms with a hatchet.

Scientists are agreed, said Dr. Ball, that there is no satisfactory evidence that any species of octopus ever intentionally attacked a man, or that anyone ever has been seriously injured by them. They are sluggish, timid creatures, he said, and that their ferocity, as well as their size, often have been greatly exaggerated.

Cemetery Plot Owner Seeks to Oust Intruder

Uniontown, Pa. (U.P.).—When Victor G. Frazee went to the Thomas Cemetery at Markleysburg to inspect the graves of his father and grandfather, he was surprised to discover a stranger had been buried in the plot where he expected to be buried himself.

The "interloper" proved to be Eli Savage, of Preston County, W. Va., and no one seems to know how he happened to be buried in this particular plot. Frazee instigated proceedings to have the body removed.

Lauck Survey Shows Labor's Gains by NRA

1933 Was Epochal Year for Workers, Says D. C. Economist.

Chicago, April 9 (AP).—In a survey of what he termed an "epochal" year for labor, William Jett Lauck, Washington economist and labor expert, said today that the events of 1933 opened up undreamed vistas to industrial workers in general and organized labor in particular.

Lauck's summary of the rapid-fire changes in connection with the NRA was made for the American Journal of Sociology's annual commentary of social changes for the preceding year, published by the University of Chicago Press.

Three general movements were outstanding in labor affairs, he said. They were: Guaranty of labor organization and bargaining privileges; recognition of labor as a copartner with management in policy determination, and recognition of the need for planned economy, especially with regard to length of working days and consumer power.

There was (due to the stimulus of the NRA) a growth in labor organizations, he reported. With 4,000,000 workers enrolled under the American Federation of Labor banners, total organized labor was over the 5,000,000 mark by the first of 1934, he said. The gain in the A. F. of L. since August was nearly 2,000,000 membership.

Unemployment was placed at 6,700,000 persons at the end of 1933, and there were 4,000,000 more on emergency Federal pay rolls. The greatest number of unemployed was 13,689,000 in March, 1933.

Lauck pointed out the pay check of the worker with a job through 1933 bought less at the end of the year than at the beginning because of the increase in the cost of living. However, more men had jobs—the only real financial gain to labor in general.

Thus, he concluded, the events of 1933 stopped the decline in wage rates and gave legal and public sanction to shorter hours, insuring greater employment.

Oil Official Burns To Death in Home

Blaze in Ill Man's Room Believed Set.

Charlottesville, Va., April 9 (Spl.). D. F. Dunham, oil company official, was burned to death last night in a fire which destroyed only his bedroom of his home in the University of Virginia community here. Fire authorities said failure to find any natural cause for the blaze forced them to believe it had been set.

The blaze, seen by neighbors shortly before midnight, was held to the bedroom, the roof of which had caved in before firemen arrived. The house is a half mile west of Rugby road.

Mr. Dunham was alone in the house, his wife having left Saturday to visit in Cincinnati. He had been ill with influenza since a recent trip to Philadelphia, neighbors said.

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NOTICE OF HEARING

Holders of 6½% Sinking Fund Gold Debentures of National Radiator Corporation (Delaware), who have not deposited their Debentures under the Reorganization Plan, and other interested parties are hereby notified that the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania has fixed the 17th day of April, 1934, at 10:00 o'clock A.M. as the time and the Court Room of said Court in the Federal Building, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, as the place for a hearing for the purpose of adjudicating and determining the rights of the holders of said Debentures, other than Debentures heretofore deposited with the Reorganization Committee and those held by Amy Arst, Josephine Ramsay and First National Bank of Cincinnati. All persons desiring to present evidence or argument or to be otherwise heard in respect of said matters are notified to be present at the time and place fixed as aforesaid.

Dated: March 20, 1934.

ROBERT S. WATERS,
WILLIAM G. HEINER,
Receivers.

PROPOSALS

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, April 9, 1934. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 326, District Building, until 2 O'CLOCK P. M., MAY 7, 1934, for furnishing 500 Folding Tablet Arm Chairs. Specifications and information at Room 320, District Building.

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, April 9, 1934. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 326, District Building, until 2 O'CLOCK P. M., APRIL 26, 1934, for furnishing six 3-Ton Trucks. Specifications and information at Room 320, District Building.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of Anton Louis Reinhardt, trading as "Reinhardt Shade Shop," Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 3020. Notice is hereby given that the above-named bankrupt has filed his petition praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that his creditors and other persons in interest are required to enter their appearance in opposition, together with specifications in writing of the grounds of such opposition, if any so desire, in the clerk's office of said court on or before the 5TH DAY OF MAY, 1934. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. 10

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES

(Continued.)

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, holding a Bankruptcy Court. In the matter of August L. Lanze, 1446 New York avenue northwest, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy, No. 3014. To the creditors of August L. Lanze, of the City of Washington, District of Columbia: Notice is hereby given that on the 5th day of April, 1934, the said August L. Lanze was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at my office in the Investment Building, Fifteenth and K streets northwest, Washington, D. C., on the 16TH DAY OF APRIL, 1934, at 10 o'clock a. m., at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims (claims shall not be proved against the bankrupt estate subsequent to six months after the adjudication as stated above), appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting. FRED J. EDEN, Referee in Bankruptcy. 10

AUCTION SALES

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1934—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers.
1421 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING, 412 23D PLACE N.E.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 6652, folio 398 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction within the office of Thos. J. Owen & Son, 1421 Eye street northwest, on MONDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1934, AT ONE O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 30, square 4523.

TERMS: Sold subject to a prior deed of trust for $3,350.00, further particulars of which will be announced at time of sale; the purchaser price above said trust to be paid in cash. A deposit of $250.00 required. Conveyancing, recording, etc., at purchaser's cost. Terms to be complied with within 15 days, otherwise deposit forfeited and the property may be advertised and resold at the discretion of the trustees.

WILLIAM A. FAUCETTE.
LOUIS L. HASTINGS.
Trustees.

P—4,6,10,12,14

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1934—
O. J. GWORYM & CO., Auctioneers,
514 Tenth Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE, BEING A STORE BUILDING KNOWN AS 1210 SEVENTH STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust recorda in liber No. 6831 at folio 431 of the land records of the District of Columbia and at the request of the present holder of the notes representing the indebtedness secured thereby, the undersigned will sell at public auction in front of the premises on TUESDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1934, AT TWO O'CLOCK P. M., the following described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia and being part of original lot one (1) in square four hundred and twenty-four (424), described as follows: Beginning for the same on Seventh street, west at the northeast corner of said lot, and running thence south along Seventh street, fourteen (14) feet six (6) inches; thence westerly fifty-eight (58) feet to a three (3) foot wide private alley; thence northerly with said alley fourteen (14) feet six (6) inches, and thence eastwardly by and with the line of sub lot C in said square fifty-eight (58) feet to the place of beginning.

TERMS OF SALE: All cash; taxes and assessments paid or adjusted to the date of sale; purchaser to pay interest on the purchase price from date of sale to date of settlement at six (6) per centum per annum; all conveyancing, recording, revenue stamps, etc., at the cost of the purchaser; good title or no sale. A deposit of $500.00 will be required at the time of sale and settlement to be within thirty (30) days from the date of sale or deposit forfeited, and the property resold at the cost and risk of the defaulting purchaser after five (5) days' previous advertisement of said resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

LAWRENCE KOENIGSBERGER.
Trustee.
SELIG C. BREZ.
Trustee.

P—apr8 d. and sun&D.8.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1934—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers
1421 Eye Street Northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE TWO-STORY AND ATTIC DETACHED BRICK DWELLING BEING PREMISES NO. 3316 WOODLEY ROAD NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 6539, folio 415 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will sell at public auction in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1934, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., the following-described land and premises, situate in the District of Columbia, and designated as and being lot 3 in square 2098 in Harry Wadman and Thomas Bones' subdivision of part of the tract of land called "Pretty Prospect," as per plat recorded in Liber 26, folio 15 of the records of the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia. Subject to the building restriction line as shown on said plat. Subject to restrictions and covenants of record, which will be read at time of sale.

TERMS OF SALE: One-fifth of the purchase-money to be paid in cash, balance in four equal installments, payable in one, two, three and four years, with interest at six per centum per annum, payable semiannually, from day of sale, secured by first deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of $350.00 will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing, recording, etc., at cost of purchaser. Terms of sale to be complied with within 30 days from day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

HARRY C. RUST.
OTIS CALVERT BOWIE.
JAMES J. BECKER.
Trustees.

P—ap9D&Ds.exSun

LOST 1

Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

IN DIAMOND CABS:
Umbrella, blue, in cab 172.
Call Lost and Found Dept., NOrth 2868.

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Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

CENTRAL GRILL,
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Straight whiskies, 15c and 20c drink. Cocktails, 25c. Special luncheon, 35c & 35c. Fri. and Sat. special, green turtle soup.

LIQUORS—OFF SALE 2B

Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

FINE wines, choice liquors—We deliver. The Ethical Prescription Pharmacy, Inc., 518 Florida ave. nw. Phone NO. 6881.

PERSONALS 3

Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

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Complete Funeral as low as $75.

CONFIDENTIAL EXPERT SECRET SERVICE, established here 40 years. Business and personal problems solved by reliable fact finders. Phone NAtional 4026. BRADFORD INVESTIGATION SERVICE, Otis Building, 810 18th st. n.w. Night, ADams 1231.

DR. GRACE O. NASH, Naturopath, announces change of address to the Carry Bldg., 927 15th st. nw., Rm. 407; Dt. 4833.

HEMORRHOIDS (piles) eradicated by my own method; results effective for a lifetime or money back; write for booklet; no drugs or surgery. Dr. SCHLEICHER-WRECK, 1365 Columbia rd.; AD. 0348.

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GOOD UNTIL USED.
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AUTOMOBILES for SALE 10

Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

CADILLAC Sedan, with good tires, upholstery and appearance; small down payment and you will have a dependable car priced only $225. WEIMANN-WESTFALL MOTOR CO. 2813 M St. N.W. POtomac 2357.

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CHEVROLET 1932 Coach; nice weather and a good car, who could ask for more? This car is in fine condition, has been carefully driven by particular owner; yours now for only $365. LUSTINE-NICHOLSON MOTOR CO. Hyattsville, Md. Greenwood 2200.

CHRYSLER "77" 1930 Sedan (4 door); clean, safe dependable transportation at lowest cost; only $265; terms. LUSTINE-NICHOLSON MOTOR CO. Hyattsville, Md. Greenwood 2200.

ESSEX—1929 "Challenger" Sedan. Here is excellent transportation in the pink of condition for only $95. Finish, interior and engine exceptionally fine. L. P. Steuart, Inc., 1325 14th st. nw.

FORD 1932 V-8 Sedan; excellent condition; $320. Keystone Garage, 1615 O st. nw.; Dec. 5516.

FORDS Model A, all types, this week as low as $45. Open evenings. Capitol Motors, 215 Pa. ave. se.

FORD 1930 Tudor Sedan. This car has been put in the pink of condition by our mechanic salesman, who really know their business. Don't miss it at..... $175
HANDLEY MOTOR CO.
3730 Georgia Ave. N.W. AD. 6060.

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GRAHAM—1929 "8" Coach. This car has plenty of power and is in superb shape; has 4 new tires; a real bargain at $175. L. P. Steuart, Inc., 1325 14th st. nw.

HUDSON 1931 Sedan, only $349. Your car as down payment and small monthly notes. WEIMANN-WESTFALL MOTOR CO. 2813 M St. N.W. POtomac 2357.

NASH Chevrolets, Chryslers, Fords and all types of used cars at select low prices. NASH-ORR. 1733 14th St. N.W. Dec. 4419.

OLDSMOBILE 1929 Sport Coupe, guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction; only $145. WEIMANN-WESTFALL MOTOR CO. 2813 M St. N.W. POtomac 2357.

OLDSMOBILE—1929 Coach. All we ask you to do is to see and drive this unusual car. Has had perfect care and can not be beat for $195. L. P. Steuart, Inc., 1325 14th st. nw.

OLDSMOBILE 1930 Sedan; this car looks and runs like new; only $249. WEIMANN-WESTFALL MOTOR CO. 2813 M St. N.W. POtomac 2357.

PACKARD 1929 light 8 Sedan; tires, paint and upholstery like new; $295. Call Mr. Cooksey, Skinner Motor Co., 1216 20th nw.; Dt. 4310.

PONTIAC—1930 De Luxe Sedan. Trunk, fender wells, de luxe appointments; engine in wonderful shape; 4 new tires; an exceptional bargain at $265. L. P. Steuart, Inc., 1325 14th st. nw.

PLYMOUTH '32 Coach; Jumbo tires; A1 motor; $280. North 8565. 1711 Florida ave. nw.

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STUDEBAKER—1929 rdst.; $35 cash, $5 weekly; perfect; $195. Shep, 2869-R.

STUDEBAKER Sedan, a real buy at $345. believe you me. You will agree when you see. Don't wait—come in at once. WEIMANN-WESTFALL MOTOR CO. 2813 M St. N.W. POtomac 2357.

STUDEBAKER—1931 President Sedan, Splendid condition; "Parkway" Motor Co., 3040 M st. nw. WEst 0161.

WHY NOT A GOOD USED CAR? 80 to select from. You are welcome on our lot. ANACOSTIA MOTOR CO., 1325 Good Hope Rd. S.E. Linc. 2077.

CHEVROLET BARGAINS
Take your choice of these practically new cars: 1933 sport coupe, $485; 1933 coach, $485; 1933 sedan, $495. OURISMAN CHEVROLET, 625 H st. ne.

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Almost New
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1835-1840-1901 14th at T

1932 Ford 4-Cyl. Cpe., $319
Beautiful Condition
TAYLOR MOTOR CO.
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Chevrolet Coach, 1933, like new, low mileage, free wheeling, synchro-mesh transmission, fully equipped; terms to suit, $355.
Mandell Chevrolet
13th and Good Hope Rd. S.E.
"Service That Satisfies"

AUTO TRUCKS—TRACTORS 11

Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

FORD Truck; fine condition; 131-inch wheel base; stake body; new motor; only $275.
NORTHEAST MOTOR CO.
920 Bladensburg Rd. N.E. AT. 0900.

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By Ed Wheelan

WHEELAN SERIAL
ELIZABETH OF RUSSIA
EPISODE 90
TREMBLING WITH RAGE, PRINCE ZVONSKY RUSHED FROM THE ROOM JUST AS NATALIE ENTERED
OH, WHAT HAVE YOU DONE? THIS WILL MEAN YOUR RUIN!!
FEAR NOT, MY 'NATASCHA', PRINCE ZVONSKY HAS NO REAL STANDING AT COURT! OH NO, IF THEY HAD DARED TO DO ANYTHING TO ME, IT WOULD HAVE HAPPENED LONG AGO!!!
BESIDES, THERE ARE MORE IMPORTANT THINGS TO OCCUPY OUR MINDS NOW! ALEXIS AND I ARE GOING TO BE MARRIED THIS VERY DAY!!
OH!
LEAVING NATALIE IN CHARGE OF THE HOUSE, ELIABETH AND ALEXIS SOON DROVE OFF
I KNOW A LITTE CHURCH NEAR BY!!
AT THAT VERY MOMENT PRINCE ZVONSKY WAS TELLING HIS STORY TO BARON VON HESSEN, HEAD OF THE SECRET POLICE
-AND I HAVE POSITIVE PROOF THAT THERE IS A PLOT TO PLACE ELIZABETH ON THE THRONE!
MEIN FREUND, I HAVE AN ENGAGEMENT WITH THE REGENT AT THE WINTER PALACE AT FOUR THIS AFTERNOON! YOU MUST COME WITH ME AND TELL HER YOUR STORY!
IT WILL BE A PLEASURE, BARON!
NOW WHAT?
4-10

AUTO PARTS—SERVICE 13
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205

DODGE AND GRAHAM SERVICE. Auto Painting. Seat Covers. General Repairs. Body and Fend-r Work.
JAMES E. MURPHY
1909 M St. N.W. ST. 9504.

SIMPLEX MOTOR OVERHAULING—Ford Model A, $32.50; Chevrolet "6," $30; complete with 15,000-mile guarantee. B-K Auto Service, rear 911 H ne. Lin. 3951.

New Auto Door Glass Installed
Not Over $1.75
Any Size—Any Make
New windshield glass installed as low as $2.50. Auto parts for any make of car at a great saving.
GLASSER'S AUTO WRECKING CO.
Closed Sundays.
2d St. and Fla. Ave. ne. Met. 8867.

WANTED—AUTOMOTIVE 18
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

SPOT CASH
No red tape—High pay—No delay
SEE MR. STERNS, 1711 14th St. N.W.

SPOT CASH For your late-model used car. Manhattan Auto and Radio Co., 1706 7th st. nw

NRA CASH IN 5 MINUTES.
BARNES MOTOR CO.
Before you sell your car get our price. We will pay unpaid balance and give you difference in cash. See Mr. Barnes, 1729 14th St.N.W.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE 21
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205

ASSISTANT manager, for tea house, with experience; strong, willing, hard worker; live at tea house. Box 54, Wash. Post.

ATTRACTIVE girls, with A1 integrity; make money galore; automobile essential; something delightful and different. Box 215, Washington Post.

BEAUTY operator, young; must be thoroughly experienced in all around beauty work. Apply 9:30 to 11 a. m., Apt. 53, 3237 Hiatt pl. nw.

LADIES (3), neat, fair education; pleasant outside work, taking orders for home necessities; $12 wk. guarantee, plus commission. Apply Rm. 905, 916 G st. nw.

LADIES—4 refined women who have 5 hours or more daily to devote to earning $15 per wk. No canvassing. Apply 9 to 12 a. m. Real Silk Hosiery Mills, room 603, 1319 F st. nw.

MARKERS—Experienced; for dry cleaning plant. Steady position. 713 Lamont st. nw.

PRESSERS—Experienced on fancy work; steady position. Arcade Sunshine Co., 713 Lamont st. nw.

WANTED AT ONCE, SETTLED COLORED WOMAN, PREFERABLY NO ENCUMBRANCES, DESIRING GOOD HOME; MUST STAY NIGHTS; care 3 r. and b. apt.; child aged 3 years; mother employed; references required. Phone ADams 5493 between 6 and 7 p. m. only for appointment.

WOMAN—Colored, as chambermaid and waitress; stay nights; go away for summer. 17 Primrose st. Chevy Chase; phone Wisconsin 2964.

SALESLADIES Experienced, for dress shop. Apply at once, 1304 F st. nw.

HELP WANTED—MALE 22
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

AUTO MECHANIC—Apply immediately. Central Auto Works, 443 Eye st. nw.

BARBER wanted; American; first class; steady job guaranteed. 2026 Nichols ave. se.

BARBER—American; steady; young. Fox Barber Shop, 1344 G st. nw.

BARBER—First class; steady job. Apply 1024 North Capitol st.

BOYS—16 years of age and over; also young men over 21, with bicycles, who wish permanent employment with good pay. See Mr. Schryver, 1317 N. Y. ave. nw. at once.

COUNTERMAN and various resturant positions. Rm. 317, 916 G st. nw.

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ESTABLISHED industrial life insurance company desires a few men for immediate connection; permanent position; previous experience not necessary; excellent chance for advancement. See Mr. Price, between 9 and 9:30 a. m., Room 202, 917 15th st. nw.

MEN, young, to work in order dept.; steady work; good pay to start. See Mr. Hood, 8 a. m. to 9:30 a. m. or 5 to 6 p. m., room 406, 1319 F st. nw.

MEN—We will hire several men to work in cooperation with National radio advertising company with 50,000 local customers; growing rapidly. Discuss details of new plans at interview. Real Silk Hosiery Mills, 9 to 12 a. m., Room 603, 1319 F st. nw.

MEN—Mother's Day special sells for 50c. Costs you nothing. Come ready for work. Rm. 302, 1317 F nw.

Permanent Employment
If you are still looking for permanent employment, with earnings of around $35.00 a week practically from start, come in for an hour's interview Thursday morning, 10 to 11 o'clock, April 12; at 10 o'clock sharp. Doors closed at that hour. I may be able to help you solve your problems. I helped several excellent men last week. Ask for Mr. Haynes, 736 Investment Building.

PAINTERS—Apply 8 a. m. Miniature Golf Course, E-st Pelham. Ft. Totten.

PORTER—For Alban Towers Barber Shop, 3700 Mass. ave. nw.

PRESSERS—Experienced on fancy work. Steady position. Arcade Sunshine Co., 713 Lamont st. nw.

SALESMEN (2) to sell Hudson and Terraplane. Apply at once 5010 R. I. ave. ne. Phone Greenwood 2101.

RECOMMENDED SERVICE 19
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

ALTERATIONS—Home improvements, new homes, store fronts, garages, porch inclosures, plumbing, repairs, remodeling and redecorating of every description. Liberal terms or cash. Deal with a reliable firm. Save money and trouble by calling National 8179.

ABC CONSTRUCTION CO.
418 Colorado Bldg. Free Estimates.

AUTO STEERING AND TIRE WEAR corrected by WEAVER PROCESS. Motor Repair Co., rear 1604 14th st. nw. FO. 3483.

CABINET MAKING, upholstering, restoring antique furniture. Stephen J. Borowski, 3439 18th st. nw. Columbia 0681.

CAMERA REPAIRING, photographic supplies. FULLER & D'ALBERT, INC., 818 10th st. nw.; National 4712.

CARPENTERING, plastering, brick work; job or contract; expert workman; work guar.; reasonable. NO. 8639.

DECORATING, roofing, papering, painting, general repairing; guar.; reas. Mr. Smith, 1724 Webster st. nw.; AD. 7108.

HENYON'S Radio Service. Complete check-up and estimate, 50c. Anywhere, any time. 2110½ 14th st. Phone NO. 9607.

PAINTING, PAPERING—All home improvements; work guar.; reas. M. E. Weiss Co., 3927 Georgia ave. nw. AD. 9161 and CO. 6725.

PAPERHANGING—Rms., $5; work guaranteed. James Jones, 1629 6th nw. Pot. 1253.

PAPERHANGING, PAINTING — Excellent work; reas. prices; estimates free. Shelton E. Kilby, 315 7th se. At. 6336.

UPHOLSTERING, slip covers, cushions. Repairs all kind. 1st class work; reas Garland, Geo. 3646 5632 Georgia ave

VACUUM cleaner repairing. Any condition. Free delivery. Try our $1 service. Wash. Vacuum Cleaner Service. Phone NO. 4624.

WASHING machine repairing. All makes, models. Any condition; low prices. Phone Garrison Wash. Machine Ser. NO. 4625.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS.
No down payments; small monthly payments. Let us come to you our lowest prices on papering, painting, plumbing, heating, carpentering, porch inclosures, roofing, weatherstripping, electrical work and building; all to be under our own supervision and unconditionally guaranteed. Estimates free. Call
THE HOME DECORATORS, INC.
1009 9th St. N.W. Me. 0854.

CARPENTRY Screens, Awnings to order. Welsmuller, 1735 14th St. N.W. DE. 0760.

CHAIR CANEING UPHOLSTERING. ARMSTRONG, 1235 10TH N.W. ME. 2062.

$3 MATTRESSES RENOVATED. $3
STERLING BUILDING CO.
1004 EYE ST. NW. ME. 9490.

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COL. 10182.
KENNEDY RADIO, INC.

HOME IMPROVEMENTS.
Get our prices on plumbing, heating, painting, carpentering, repairs and remodeling. TERMS. GE. 8670.

ROOFING Tin, slate and slag roofing, guttering, spouting, roof painting. M. ISIS, 803 9th nw. NA. 5864.

Sedan Tops and Woodwork
$6.95 up; sport tops, very special, $8.95 up. Curtains built and new celluloid lights installed. Elmer's Top Shop, rear 785 Lamont st. nw. Col. 10415.

SCREENS METAL WEATHER STRIP, INCLOSING PORCHES.
COFFEY BROS. SCREEN CO. AD. 6015

A RELIABLE COMPANY
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Trained, efficient men for each job. No subcontractors. We are specialists in every line of work.
Roofing Plastering Porch Inclosures
Papering Carpentry Hardwood Floors
Painting Garages Weather Stripping
Plumbing Stucco Electrical Work
AS LITTLE AS $5.00 MONTHLY.
General Contracting Co., Inc.
923 NEW YORK AVE. N.W. DIST. 5085.

WANTED
WHITE CHAUFFEURS
WITH IDENTIFICATION CARDS
TO DRIVE
DIAMOND CABS
APPLY MR. HIPSON
6 A. M. TO 6 P. M.
1ST AND M STS. N. E.

SALESMEN WANTED 25
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205

SALESMEN
FOR PERMANENT POSITION
In our lot sales department; only men of neat appearance with satisfactory references need apply; attractive remuneration for those who qualify; previous selling experience helpful but not necessary.
See Mr. Wilmot
NORTH WASHINGTON REALTY CO.
7906 Georgia Ave.

SITUATIONS—MALE 27
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

ACCOUNTANT—Expert; books opened, kept audited. $10 monthly. Shep. 3413.

RECOMMENDED SERVICE 19
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.
(Continued.)

WANTED—Experienced French chef as partner. Box 213, Washington Post.

INSURANCE 30
Post Classified Ads.—National 4205.

ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE.
K. M. LIVINGSTONE.
923 15th St. N.W. Dist. 0700.

MONEY TO LOAN 32
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41 Literary supervisors
47 Comes back
52 Work out in detail
53 Raise
54 The pick
55 Goes at an easy gait
56 Owns
58 Moving wagon
59 Copy
60 Greek letter
63 Forward
64 Caresses
65 English river
67 Short for a man's name
68 Written promise to pay
70 Fisher for eels
72 Variety of cabbage
74 Sufficient: poet
75 Waste matter
76 Young demons

DOWN.

1 Horseman's road
2 Narrow fabric
3 Metric measure
4 School of whales
5 Cardinal number
6 Hard glossy paints
7 Six
8 Light bunting-like fabric
9 Covers the inside again
10 Fuss
11 Depart
12 Great Lake
13 Refuse
19 Greek market place
21 Cabbage salads
24 Part of a pedestal
27 Sharp
29 Condensed moisture of the air
31 Compass point
32 Got on
33 Shirk
35 Meager
36 Meaning
42 Patron saint of lawyers
43 Distant: prefix
44 Kind of fruit
45 Revolved
46 Author of "The Faerie Queene"
47 Narrates
48 Those who run away to marry
49 Wigwam
50 Kind of sweet potato
51 Grate
56 Stone for sharpening
57 Presently
61 Assist
62 Roman date
64 Church sitting
66 Snow runner
69 As far as
71 Behold
73 Exist

YESTERDAY'S ANSWERS.

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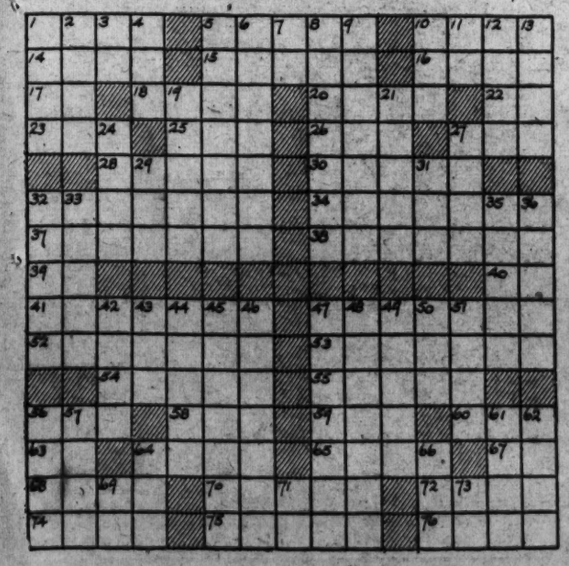

THE BUNGLE FAMILY Bad News By Harry J. Tuthill

POLICE CALLED TO QUIET STUDIO DISTURBER FIND LOST CHILD
BOY TAKEN FROM HOME IDENTIFIED BY PHOTOGRAPHER
A curiosity seeker who insisted upon questioning a tired photographer
YES, I READ THAT STORY AND IT TELLS THE TRUTH, TOO, IN DESCRIBING YOUR CHUM AS A PLAIN RUBBERNECK.
FINE STUFF! I WONDER IF POOR HERMAN KNOWS ABOUT IT?
STUDIO DISTURBER... CURIOSITY SEEKER... HERMAN BUZZER, CONFESSED DETECTIVE STORY FAN...
THERE, HERMAN, IS WHAT WE GET FOR THE TWO 13¢ CIGARS WE GAVE THAT REPORTER YESTERDAY.
DOWN AT THE VERY END IT SAYS... BUZZER, A GRADUATE OF GENERAL DETECTIVE COLLEGE, ACCOMPANIED THE POLICE TO THE BUNGLE HOME.
ACCORDING TO THAT ACCOUNT YOU ARE SIMPLY SOMEBODY WHO LIKES TO ARGUE WITH PHOTOGRAPHERS.
BUZZER ACCOMPANIED THE POLICE... WHAT A LAUGH! WHAT A BITTER BIT OF HOOEY!
THEY DIDN'T USE YOUR PHOTO, EITHER. ALSO THE STORY IS ON AN INSIDE PAGE. TELL ME! I'M GOING TO CALL UP THE EDITOR RIGHT NOW!

JOE JINKS, Featuring Dynamite Dunn According To Hoyle By Llanuza

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ALL YOUNG BOPPO HAS TO DO TO WIN JOE'S $500 IS TO AVOID A KNOCKOUT FOR A MINUTE..... AND HE KNOWS DYNAMITE CAN'T PUT HIM AWAY IF HE CAN'T CATCH HIM
ATTA KID, BOPPO! STAY AWAY FROM HIM!
LEAVE HIM ALONE! HE'S TRAININ' FOR THA SIX-DAY RACES!
FOURTEEN SECONDS ALREADY—AN' DYNAMITE AINT GAINED A YARD ON THAT GUY SINCE THE GONG RANG!
LOOKS LIKE DYNAMITE AINT ABLE TO SOLVE BOPPO'S STYLE, JOE!
BOPPO'S STYLE! —THAT AINT THE TROUBLE— IT'S DYNAMITE'S— HE AINT DRESSED RIGHT FOR THIS FIGHT—
HE OUGHTA BE WEARIN' SPIKED SHOES!
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NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY By Clifford McBride

DIXIE DUGAN Family Trouble By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

OH—EDSIE!—I WAS UP TO FLOSSIE'S BOARDING HOUSE LAST NIGHT—IT WAS REALLY VERY INTERESTING
IT WAS, EH? —WELL I WAS THINKING THAT I—
WHY, MA?—
OH—PA—DIXIE! THERE'S A LETTER CAME FROM AUNT MINNIE —SHE AN' UNCLE ABNER ARE TOOK DOWN WITH SOMETHIN'—THEY DON'T KNOW WHAT IT IS— BUT THEY CAN BOTH HARDLY GET ABOUT
I'M SO WORRIED—I THINK WE OUGHT T'GO AN' LOOK AFTER THEM—YOU COULD SPARE DIXIE FROM TH' STORE A FEW DAYS COULDN'T YOU, PA, SO'S SHE COULD DRIVE ME UP THERE
YEAH— I GUESS SO MA—
THEN I'M GOIN' RIGHT HOME AN' PACK—AN' YOU COME SOON'S YOU CAN, DIXIE—
ALL RIGHT MA
WELL, I WAS GOING T'ASK YOU TO STEP OUT WITH ME TONIGHT, DIXIE—BUT I GUESS ALL DATES ARE OFF—

THE GUMPS 'Tis Sad When You Think

WHO WOULD HAVE THOUGHT THAT MILLIE WOULD DO SUCH A THING?
COME ON BIM— BUCK UP!
OH, WHEN I THINK OF HER SUING ME FOR TEN MILLION DOLLARS— I LOSE MY HEAD— IT'S TOO MUCH—
DON'T TAKE IT SO HARD.
ALL THIS TALK OF LOVE— BAH! IT'S ALL A FAKE!
CALLED ME HER DUCKY— HER DARLING— COULDN'T LIVE WITHOUT ME— LOVED ME BETTER THAN ANYTHING IN THE WORLD— BUT THOSE WERE JUST WORDS— NOTHING MORE—
WELL— WHAT DID YOU EXPECT THEM TO BE— HAMBURGER STEAK?

DICK TRACY Behind the Curtain

FOR THE LAST TIME I TELL YOU I DIDN'T WRITE YOU THAT NOTE!
YOU'RE LYING!
NO BLOND OR ANYONE ELSE CAN CALL ME A LIAR!
WHY YOU—
AND AT THIS VERY INSTANT A FIGURE WHO HAS CREPT INTO THE PENFIELD APARTMENT THROUGH A REAR WINDOW.. STANDS CROUCHED BEHIND THE PORTIERE. IN HIS HAND HE HOLDS A CURIOUSLY ARRANGED REVOLVER!
THE LETTERS HE WROTE HAVE DONE THEIR WORK PERFECTLY! THE TWO WOMEN LUNGE AT EACH OTHER IN BLIND RAGE.. AND THEN.....

WINNIE .WINKLE, the Breadwinner Dispossess Notice

THAT WAS A LUCKY BREAK, MY GETTING THIS ROOM RIGHT NEXT TO ANTON CROFUT'S !! I'LL LEAVE THIS HALL DOOR OPEN, AND MAYBE I'LL GET A LOOK AT HIM !!
NO! NO!! NO!!! DIDN'T I TELL YOU I WANTED DAT ROOM FOR MY FRAND ??. SHE GOT TO GO !! YOU HEAR ??
GOOD NIGHT! I'M SURE THAT MUST BE CROFUT TALKING TO THE LANDLADY DOWNSTAIRS!
HE OBJECTS TO MY HAVING THIS ROOM, EH ? WELL, I WON'T GIVE IT UP SO EASY! G-GOSH—HERE THEY COME—
KNOCK! KNOCK!
YOU GOT TO GET OUT, MISS !! HERE'S YOUR MONEY BACK !!
WHAT FOR? GEE, I GOTTA HAVE A ROOM TO SLEEP.

Walt Mason, Himself

Der Maxie.

I mourn for Maxie Schmeling, who's joined the has-been stiffs; he was but lately felling his foes with mighty biffs. He loomed up like a wonder, we heard the sportsmen yell, in tones resembling thunder. "We have a new John L. We have another, Corbett, another Fitz this year, and in his proper orbit he stands without a peer. He has the nerve and science, his strength is truly great, and we may place reliance on this imported skate." He had in him imbedded the stuff for countless fights; it seemed that he was headed for great and shining heights. Men liked his calm demeanor, his modesty was fine, and he seemed straighter, cleaner, than many pugs in line. He spent small time in boasting, he made his promise good, and no one saw him coasting through jazzy Hollywood. And then without a warning he hit the downward slide, and woke, one solemn morning, all shorn of fame and pride. And since that sad upheaval it seems that any skate can knock from him the weevil, can slug him on the pate. The pikers and four-flushers can knock him from the ring, while gentlemanly ushers look on and smile and sing. For Maxie I am sorry; he needs another trade; he ought to drive a lorry or peddle lemonade.

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Giant Armada Leaves Coast In War Games

Force to Split Into Two Fleets on Way to Canal Zone.

San Pedro, Calif., April 9 (AP). The bulk of the United States naval power—100 fighting ships carrying some 35,000 men—today headed for the Atlantic Coast to carry out extended maneuvers.

Far in the van of this armada three squadrons of the Navy's largest patrol planes also began winging their way South. These squadrons, comprising 15 planes, were hopping from San Diego to the Canal Zone.

The warships moved out of the San Pedro and San Diego naval bases simultaneously. There were nine dreadnaughts, nine heavy cruisers, one cruiser tender and eight training ships that steamed out of San Pedro.

50 Destroyers Along.

From San Diego departed eight light cruisers, three aircraft carriers, one mobile target ship, 50 destroyers, two destroyer tenders, four submarines, a submarine tender, a submarine rescue ship and an aircraft base ship.

These 98 ships were preceded by four others, two of which joined the armada today. The other two are based at Acapulco and Corinto as tenders for the air patrol squadrons flying South.

The fighting ships left their bases under simulated conditions of war. The harbor channels were swept for 20 miles or so by minesweepers, theoretically clearing mines and alert for submarines.

Fleets to Battle.

Beyond the danger line for mines, the warships took southerly courses, immediately going into cruising exercises. These exercises led to the formation of two great fleets. One was under the command of Admiral Joseph Mason Reeves and the other under Vice Admiral Frank Hardman Brumby.

A 36-hour "engagement" between the two fleets was to follow.

Maneuvers will continue daily until the warships reach the Bay of Panama, April 21. Grand maeuvers will be held in the Caribbean May 5 to 12, and the combined fleet will reach New York May 31 for a review by the President.

Lackawanna Line Buys $4,000,000 Equipment

New York, April 9 (AP).—Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad placed orders for new equipment amounting to approximately $4,000,000 with five manufacturers, it was learned today.

Twenty locomotives were ordered from the American Locomotive Co.; 350 steel hopper cars from American Car & Foundry, and 150 from Magor Car Co., two oil electric locomotives from General Motors Corporation, and two from Ingersoll-Rand Co.

Rainey Now Undecided About Publishing G. O. P. Blacklist

Speaker Declares "Good" Republicans So Scarce He May Drop Idea.

Speaker Rainey apparently is on the verge of changing his mind about making public his "blacklist" of House Republicans who have voted against the President, the Associated Press reported.

Asked yesterday when he was going to give it to newspapermen, as he promised 10 days ago, Rainey answered:

"Well, I havn't finished checking it yet, but it would appear that about all the Republicans are bad. If they are, I don't see that it makes any particular difference, but if we find any who have been good, the people probably would be interested in knowing it."

It was reported that Rainey's original intention was to show that, despite Republican talk against Administration bills, a sizable G. O. P. bloc had voted for every measure.

Then, it was said, his check failed to show enough "good" Republicans, especially when the House reached things like the tariff and independent offices veto.

The Speaker is still keeping up his list of bolting Democrats and he still says he doesn't know what use he will make of it.

Senate Committee Passes Smith Bill

Creates Five New Bureaus in Agriculture.

The bill of Senator Smith (Democrat), South Carolina, creating five new divisions of the Agriculture Department to handle cattle, cotton, grain, hogs, and tobacco matters was approved yesterday by the Senate Agriculture Committee, of which he is chairman, the Associated Press reported.

The committee also favored the bill of Senator Shipstead (Farmer-Labor), Minnesota, to incorporate taxes and labor costs in the calculating of "parity" prices for farm products under the agriculture adjustment act.

German Labor Chief Scores Catholic Clergy

Cologne, Germany, April 9 (AP). Robert Ley, German Labor Front leader, said today that a decree would be issued soon to curtail the "sneaking methods" of the Catholic clergy, whom he accused of "tampering" with the Labor Front.

He did not explain details of the projected law.

Cafe Ban Action Waits on De Priest

The House, Speaker Rainey said yesterday, will not vote until after April 22 on the De Priest resolution, calling for an investigation of the authority of the Accounts Committee to bar members of the colored race from the House restaurant, the Associated Press reported.

Rainey told reporters that decision had been reached at the request of Representative De Priest (Republican), Illinois, only colored member of Congress and author of the resolution.

De Priest, he said, is in Chicago for the Congressional primaries and "will not return until about April 22."

"Because he introduced that resolution, we won't call it up before he gets back," Rainey said.

3 Girls Seek $70,000 In Auto Damage Suit

Three girls, injured when an automobile struck them while they were walking near Sherman avenue and Park road northwest, March 4, yesterday asked District Supreme court to award them damages of $70,000.

They were Frieda Saifer and Annette Cohen, both of 650 Newton place northwest, and Dorothy Levin, 600 Columbia road northwest. Miss Saifer asked $50,000 and the two others demanded $10,000 each. They named Andrew G. Paragopoulos, 906 Spring road northwest, alleged driver of the machine, as the defendant.

125-Year-Old Beall Residence In Georgetown Open to Public

Exhibition of Dwelling Is Under St. John's Church Auspices.

Another Georgetown residence—the 125-year-old house occupied by Col. and Mrs. William J. Donovan, at 1647 Thirtieth street—has been added to the list of old homes to be open to the public under the auspices of St. John's Episcopal Church, Georgetown.

This home was built by Thomas Beall, son of the founder of Georgetown. At that time the property occupied an entire block and was deeded by Beall to his daughter when she married Col. George Corbin Washington, great nephew of George Washington. A son of this couple, Lewis Washington, was held as a hostage by John Brown at Harpers Ferry in 1860.

Two groups of old Georgetown homes will be open to visitors this week—a group of 11 Friday afternoon and a different group Saturday afternoon. Tickets may be purchased at the Willard, Mayflower and Dodge Hotels or at any of the houses. Visitors may start and finish any time they please between 1:30 and 5 p. m.

If you have a house to rent—a little sum is wisely spent—in Post Classified Ads. Just call National 4205.

Texas Board Closes 28 Oil Refineries

Kilgore, Tex., April 9 (AP).—The closing of "28 or 30" oil refineries in the East Texas oil field because of violations of orders against illegal production of oil was announced tonight by R. D. Parker, administrator for the Texas Railroad Commission.

Parker said all the plants closed under court injunction were "old violators." Recent legislative action gave the commission added powers to conserve and regulate the gigantic production from the field and the commission set forth immediately to "drp up" the flow of "hot" or bootleg oil.

Oil Plant Watchman Held in Death Threat

Philadelphia, April 9 (AP).—A watchman at the Sun Oil Co. plant in Marcus Hook was arrested today, charged with sending a letter to an official of the concern, in which he threatened to blow up the plant or shoot the head of the company police.

Maintaining he is innocent, James C. Davies, 32, of Marcus Hook, was held in $5,000 bail.

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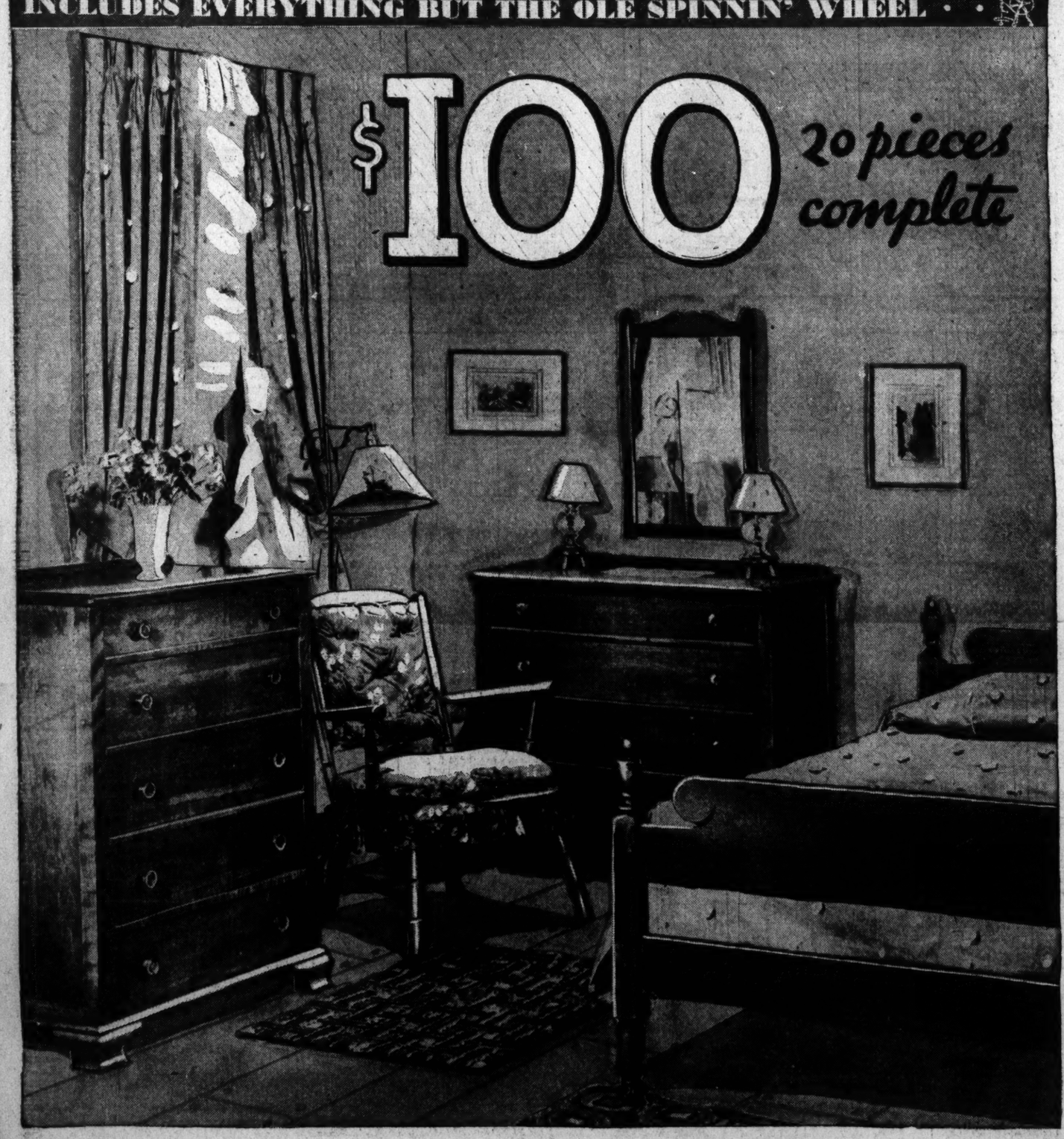

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